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That is the question that councils are being forced to ask.

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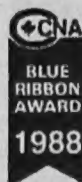
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Dysart nixes plan for 30-unit condo near Sir Sam's

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

An informal proposal to build 30 "luxury town-home chalets" on three residential lots adjacent to Sir Sam's Ski Area was turned down by Dysart et al council at Monday's meeting.

Jim Pierson and Tony Petrello approached council for tentative approval on the condominium units, and hoped to iron out problems such as new health unit restrictions for septic systems. (The project isn't related to a condominium proposal by Ski Area-owner Bob Bishop). But, because the three lots are within a registered plan of subdivision, council flatly refused to approve.

"They're talking about changing the density from three families to 30 families on five and a half acres, and I just can't approve that," said Reeve Bill Davis. "I'm not opposed to condominiums, but let's do it right."

Councillor John Parish shared Davis's reservations, saying the proposal isn't fair to area residents. "I wouldn't have bought that lot if I knew there would be 30 families moving in next door."

Councillor Murray Fearrey said the project is "the best proposal I've seen. The location is great, and they're willing to protect the environment. To me, condominiums are more dangerous on waterfront property." However, in the end, Fearrey joined fellow council members in voting against the proposal.

The project was previously proposed to the Planning Advisory Committee, and brought before council for public discussion after some area residents voiced concerns.

Petrello first addressed council's concerns over septic requirements by the Ministry of Environment, enforced through the health unit, that municipalities be responsible for failed septic systems within multi-family rental accommodation zones.

Many councils are presently wrestling with the issue, wary about assuming what could be a costly responsibility. Petrello made an effort to clear up many misconceptions about the restriction by phoning the Ministries of Environment and Municipal Affairs.

The law branch of the MMA says there is no legal requirement for municipalities to take responsibility.

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Cottager wants no rules for dumping in Stanhope

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

Although many seasonal residents think of Stanhope Township as a place to "get away from it all," council says some rules are needed.

Last year, Stanhope began restricting hours at its three landfill sites and more recently, issued dumping permit cards to all ratepayers. These moves come in the wake of tougher Ministry of the Environment guidelines and a dwindling availability of future landfill sites.

But Nancy Farmer feels such rules mean cottagers are "being taken to the cleaners" and council "has really gone too far."

The Willowdale cottager wrote Stanhope council saying "Do you officials not realize we cottagers

come to the cottage to get away from making appointments, meeting deadlines, etc., as we do all week? Would it not be possible for YOU to bend a little and consider the cottagers instead of the locals and yourselves?"

Mrs. Farmer says she realizes there are pollution problems and suggested the use of big blue bins "so we could put our garbage in it and then the man who works (there) could go through it on HIS working hours?"

However, in the past council has had problems with the bins. Instead of learning to come when the dumps were open (which includes Saturdays and Sundays, and at least one dump is open every day), people were treating the bins as a quasi dump site. This created an unsightly mess.

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Springtime and skiing!

The Geale family of Port Hope had a taste of what cross country skiing in summer would be like when they enjoyed the trails along Highway 121 last

Wednesday. With temperatures of 18 Celsius, Katie and her father John certainly didn't need their winter sweaters. Weather Watch, page 3, has details.

Dysart council takes money over land

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

Developers of Dysart et al's South Wildcat Lake will have to provide \$100,000 in lieu of parkland to receive approval in principle for severances to create 14 lots.

Dysart wants \$100,000 from South Wildcat developers

At Monday's meeting, council reversed an earlier decision to ensure public access to the Havelock Township. It had previously requested up to five per cent parkland rather than money. Conditions of council's approval in principle now are that an existing canoe portage route is maintained, and that snowmobile access also be provided.

The people who purchased the property surrounding the lake would like to privatize South Wildcat to preserve its water quality. The property is part of a much larger parcel owned by Earl Palmer, Chris Hodgson, Rick Bain and Bob Woodcock. Those four are still acting on the part of new owner Dan Perlitz, who was also represented by Dermot Sweeney at this week's meeting.

Sweeney asked that council consider lowering the \$100,000 sum, but was told council wouldn't budge

on the figure.

Council also hopes problems over portage access will be cleared up. At a previous Planning Advisory Committee meeting, a representative from the Ministry of Natural Resources told the group that the portage route must be deeded over to the province to maintain this public access.

But in a recent letter, ministry representative Ken Cain admits the province can't force the deed. The letter states the ministry can ensure access if the municipality takes the route as parkland dedication.

Perlitz has since met with Cain, and suggested the portage routes be maintained by placing a notice on the title of each property affected. In his letter, Cain is positive about this method of advising new landowners of the portage routes.

As for snowmobile access, the

property owners have already approved a land use permit for the Tall Pines Snowmobile Club in Dorset, which would be applicable to anyone who holds a valid permit from the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs, said Councillor Brian Watts.

Council came to its decision after much deliberation. Councillor Dorothy Baker asked why the municipality isn't taking land instead of the money.

"I don't think we should cut off access to big lakes," she told council.

"It's cut off now," Reeve Bill Davis told her. "The only way to get to it is by trespassing (once leaving the Haliburton Forest and Wildlife Reserve)."

Council carried its decision unanimously after a closed discussion. The severance application must now receive approval from the county's Land Divisions Committee.

Councillor Murray Fearrey suggested part of the money be used to move Ed Youngdale's oil tanks from York Street. The tanks sit on a portion of the former CNR lands purchased by the township.

Dog rescued from icy narrows

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

One very cold, wet dog was rescued from the narrows between Head and Grass Lakes thanks to the quick thinking of two Haliburton Marine employees.

Last Tuesday morning, Mike Varty was working in the marina's shop when he heard a dog barking in distress. When he went outside and looked across the narrows, all he could see was a man standing on his dock, looking through his

binoculars. A couple of barking dogs stood beside him, and Varty assumed they were excited by some ducks.

However, after he went back inside, someone phoned to say a dog was drowning. Varty went back outside and this time he saw a dog floundering in the water, obscured by a high pile of snow.

Calling his co-worker Bill Dobson, the two men ran and grabbed a fibreglass canoe from the shed. They were able to get about 15 feet out on the ice, Dobson got into the canoe and Varty pushed him towards

the open water.

It didn't take long to reach the dog, which had already gone under a few times and apparently was tiring. Dobson grabbed the dog, a collie, and hauled him into the canoe.

Varty tossed a rope out to the canoe and pulled it back over across the ice to shore.

Somebody recognized the dog as belonging to the neighbours of the Mahaffy family. A short time later, the recuperating dog and his grateful owners were re-united.

THIS WEEK



On the road again!

SKIDDIN' DOWN THE BLOCK: Highway 648 in Wilberforce was crawling with kids enjoying the sunshine during March Break. On Thursday, Chad Bowers showed

four-year-old Veronica Ablett his skateboard tricks.

Man charged for death threat

POLICE NEWS

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During the week of March 12 to 18 officers of the Minden Detachment investigated 56 general occurrences and four vehicle accidents with no injuries and one snow vehicle accident with minor injuries.

THEFTS AROUND THE COUNTY

Haliburton Lake: 1986 SRV5 Yamaha snow vehicle, black, licence 534139; Monk Road, Glamorgan: back pack stove, Peak Model 400A701, ATV trailer.

WANTED PERSONS

Two residents of the county are wanted in relation to Failing to Appear in Provincial or District Court. They are Leslie C. Alton, 34 of Minden Township and Randy R. Upton, 23 of no fixed ad-

dress but known to hang around Haliburton and Minden.

CHARGED WITH THREATENING DEATH

Ronald Shayne McKelvey, 31 of Anson Township has been charged with Threatening death after police were called to a residence during the evening of March 17. McKelvey, who was also charged with Impaired Operation of a motor vehicle and being over the legal limit of 80 mgs, was arrested and held in custody for a Bail Hearing on Monday in Lindsay where he was released with conditions.

STOLEN SNOWMOBILE RECOVERED

Police have recovered a snow vehicle that was reported stolen to Halton Regional Police. Charged with possession of stolen property is William C. Bridgeman, 22 of Minden. Bridgeman is scheduled to appear in Provincial Court, Minden on May 4, 1990.

Concept for ski chalets rejected because doesn't fit zoning rules

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ty for septic systems, said Petrello.

But under the MOE's Environmental Protection Act, municipalities are responsible to step in if owners of a development fail to clean up any septic failure. Elizabeth Stanley, a representative from the ministry, told Petrello there presently is no written policy, but it will come in time.

Meanwhile, there are a number of options she outlined, he says. The ministry prefers that the municipality: owns and operates any type of sewage system used; approves properly designed systems on the condition that it will take over if owners of the condominium corporation fix any problems; finances or underwrites the condominium corporation if problems occur.

Petrello said the municipality could set up a slush fund to rectify any problems by: getting a letter of credit from developers for the cost of fixing or replacing a system; imposing a special tax levy which would be held in a fund and gather interest; or, having unit owners pay the money as part of their monthly maintenance fee, which would be held by the municipality and gather interest in an escrow account.

Petrello proposed this final option, "to cover all the contingencies."

The last two options are preferable because they allow "immediate funds for the municipality," said Pierson. "There could be minor problems when the system is first installed, and they would have to be handled by the municipality."

"But if it's well-designed, hopefully there are no problems," said Petrello. "The MOE has rigid requirements on this type of development, but the key is to do it right. A slush fund could be designed to cover any contingency."

Deputy-Reeve Lloyd Leadbeater said his biggest problem with the proposal is "we may be faced with untold costs and then clean-up of environmental damage. There isn't any way I can see that we can put a limit on that."

Petrello plans to have the system monitored on a regular basis, unlike most systems in the area. "If you know there is a problem, you can

catch it early."

"Damage takes time to occur, and surveillance will eliminate costly clean-up," added Pierson. "All septic systems are time-bombs if they're not under surveillance."

Because the proposal is still in the early "concept" stage, Petrello said he's not sure how much it would cost to provide, and replace, a septic system for the condominium. Pierson estimated a "ball park number" at \$300,000.

Councillor Fearrey said he appreciates that the developers are eager to meet with environmental restrictions, but pointed out the main problem is that the property would have to be removed from plan of subdivision to allow the development.

Petrello said he feels the proposal would be beneficial to Sir Sam's, area businesses, and the municipality in general, and that the units are consistent with goals of the official plan.

The three-bedroom chalets are close to the ski hill, and are surrounded by a road allowance which acts as a buffer from neighbouring properties, he said. "There is no private land surrounding."

Later in the meeting, Reeve Davis took exception to this claim. "A road allowance isn't a buffer zone," he said. "It's only 66 feet which could later be built into a road." He said private land which isn't developed would actually make a more adequate "buffer zone."

Davis reminded council to con-

sider that the lots in question are designed for three seasonal, single-family residences.

Petrello said the proposal can't do much damage because the property has no shoreline frontage, and is not near a lake. As well, a swimming pool for unit owners is being proposed.

Despite these assurances, Jeff Hutchinson of the Eagle and Moose Lake Property Owners' Association said the lake nearby is "up to saturation point right now, and these people will use it."

He also said the access road will cost more to fix, and taxpayers will have to cover those costs.

Michael Burk of the Basshaunt Lake Homeowners and Cottagers' Association said members of his group pay for maintenance on Deer Lake Drive, and he wanted assurance the developers would also pay to use this road.

"If it's a concern, we will address it," said Petrello, who must bring the road entrance to municipal standards, and said he is willing to cover any road maintenance costs.

Mrs. Burk said cottagers purchased their property knowing there wasn't any larger development in the area.

Pierson said the developers are "environmentally sensitive" and just want to be good neighbours. "I feel the concept is appropriate for the area."

The developers can still submit an application for their proposal for council's consideration.

Cottager 'missed the point'

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and attracted bears.

"She's missed the whole point," said Councillor Murray Daniels, at last Wednesday's council meeting.

"Cottagers and all our taxpayers were taken into consideration" when the new rules were drafted, said Deputy-Reeve Ann Barker. "We're all on this small planet and we still have rules and regulations in the country as they do in the city."

"Why do people feel we don't have to have rules here?"

"What happens if you miss put-

ting out the garbage in Willowdale?" asked Councillor Eleanor Harrison.

Council will send Mrs. Farmer two more permit cards as she requested so her sons can take the garbage to the dump.

(There might be some confusion about the cards being "non-transferrable." Council meant that if a property was sold, the new owners should get new cards from council. But any person at a house or cottage can use the card to gain access to the dump.)

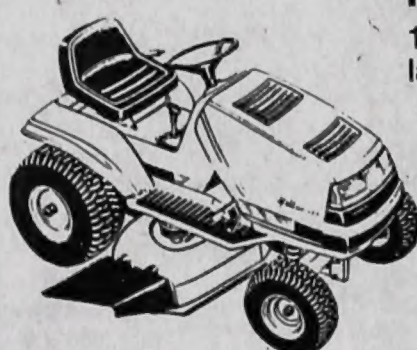
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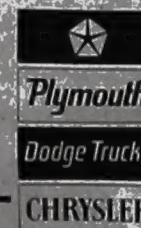


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THIS WEEK

Dysart campground plan poses problems

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

Dysart et al council isn't quite sure how to handle a proposal for a wilderness campground similar to the Haliburton Forest and Wildlife Reserve.

Canadian Haliburton Estates proposes to open a campground for trailers which fronts Big Redstone Lake with 13 lots and Pelaw Lake with 17 lots. The 300 acres of property is currently zoned rural.

Because no facilities will be provided—only outhouses—council doesn't want to put the proposal under its usual campground zoning bylaw. The Wildlife Reserve is in a similar situation, and is in its own zone.

If a rezoning application is considered, members of the Redstone Lake Cottagers' Association and others within 400 feet would be in-

vited to comment at a public meeting. The Ministry of the Environment has already said Pelaw Lake is overcrowded, but hasn't addressed this particular project, council was told.

"If Pelaw is overcrowded, I can't see 17 more lots," said Councillor Dorothy Baker.

Councillor Murray Fearrey agreed there could be some problems. But "it's probably a lot better for the lake the way he's doing it, than if he were to provide facilities," he said.

Because council did not know whether the project includes clearing the shoreline, if the campground will be supervised, and who will manage the campground, decision whether to consider a rezoning was deferred.

"We certainly need more information," said Fearrey. "This obviously isn't the best use of the property."

WEATHER WATCH

March Break's warmth breaks a few records

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

People who just spent the March Break in southern climes might not want to hear this but the weather was warm enough in Haliburton to break a few records.

On Wednesday, those who remained in Haliburton or vacationed here basked in the 18 degree temperatures, reports local weather watcher Jim Elstone. This was three degrees above the record set in 1946.

It got better. By Thursday, the mercury climbed to 20 degrees, breaking the 1898 record of 14 degrees. Children were seen wearing shorts, it was warm enough to leave coats at home, and the wind was a tonic for any winter blues. (And a lot less expensive than a trip south, too.)

The low temperature of the week was -6.5 on Monday morning.

Before the warm weather came an inch of rain on the 11th and 12th. However, last year's serious flooding was avoided because of the snow.

"Snow absorbed the rain and helped prevented runoff because it acted like a sponge," says Mr. Elstone, who now believes we're over the hump as far as flooding is concerned. "We'd have to get a torrential downpour to cause a problem. The runoff is starting to

go into the ground and it can still hold a fair bit of moisture yet.

"It's been relatively dry this month so we will use the snow melt as it comes."

Spring officially began Tuesday at 4:19 p.m. and spring-like weather is certainly expected throughout the week. "It will remain at or near normal, which is a high of 2 and a low of -10." Precipitation will likely be off and on, but it "will be nothing to write home about."

This will make for ideal downhill ski conditions, Mr. Elstone adds. There's also quite a good snow cover in wooded areas. People should be wary of going out on the lakes, however. "If they don't have to be out there, they shouldn't be that adventurous."

Once again, the world's high and low temperatures last week are the same number, just on opposite sides of the zero. In the Eastern Soviet Union it warmed up to -44 while in South Africa it was +44.

Elsewhere, "there's a major drought throughout the Mediterranean and California. The usual weather patterns has gone into reverse. Whether the greenhouse affect has anything to do with, there's certainly a lot of dry areas where there should be wet areas this time of year."

Back in history, on the first day of spring in 1876, Montreal received 50 cm of spring snow.

POP-A-SPRING!



Wilberforce's Kenny Ablett pops a wheelie

Health study won't meet June deadline

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

With a "tremendous amount of information to absorb," the steering committee on long term health care in Haliburton County will not complete its study by its initial target date.

"We all realize we're not going to be finished by June," said Anne Gallant, a health planning analyst with the district health council, after last Friday's meeting.

Two sub-committees—one to plan upcoming public forums and the other for data analysis—have been formed to speed up the process. A new deadline will be set in April.

The two-phase study was ordered by Health Minister Elinor Caplan to see whether building the promised 18-bed continuing care unit is justified. Her ministry is funding this committee's work, and the Ministry of Community and Social Services will fund the second half, which won't begin until this phase is completed. Only when the entire study is compiled will Caplan decide whether or not to let the unit go to tender.

Meanwhile, the \$440,000 the community raised after the project was initially approved sits in a bank and construction costs are increasing by \$40,000 a month.

When asked whether the same people will sit on the second-phase committee so the information won't have to be repeated, Gallant says "the work to be accomplished may

require different skills to do the implementing as opposed to the group that's assessing the needs."

As well, when asked whether local committee representatives will be compromised at the public forums by having to justify the committee's work, Gallant says they "won't be put on to spot to answer to all the questions."

"There may still be some anger and we hope to be able to deal with it," says Chairman Maureen Dikun. The public forums will be set up like a health fair, and only four or five people at a time will be at a particular booth.

The booths will be displays from some of the organizations which have made presentations to the committee, explaining what their group does. Some ministry resource people will also be there to explain the government's plans.

"Changes are happening which will have a profound affect on the type of health care available," says Gallant.

People will also be asked to fill in submissions about their needs and the needs they see in county communities.

"We really want to come out of this with feedback from both sides," says Dikun. "We want people who aren't outgoing to feel they can talk to somebody" and she doesn't feel that's possible if a large number of people were gathered together, as they were at the last public meeting. "The open house is open to the public but it's not a public meeting format."

Condos planned on Paradise Lake

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

Once the developer of 19 proposed condominium units along Paradise Lake submits an environmental impact study, a public meeting will be scheduled to discuss his application for rezoning. Dysart et al council decided on Monday.

The developer wants some assurance his project will be considered once the \$20,000 study is completed, and requested that his rezoning be processed once the municipality receives the study.

Councillor Murray Fearrey said the developer might assume council is approving the project by passing this resolution. He also said now is the time to express any concerns with the proposal.

"If we have reservations, should we allow the man to spend \$20,000?" asked Fearrey.

Councillor Dorothy Baker agreed.

"Why would he spend \$20,000 for a capacity study if he doesn't plan to build?"

Although the lake is presently over capacity, the 19 rental units proposed at the old Paradise Lodge property will replace 19 motel rooms that used to be there. "He's not taking it beyond what it was," said Planning Administrator Jody Ainsworth.

"I have trouble with that, to be quite honest," said Fearrey. "Nineteen rooms are quite different than rental condominiums."

Councillor John Parish said it's up to the Ministry of the Environment to answer possible problems with the lake, adding that no Lake Trout are found there. "I don't think that's our concern."

He said council can only accept or reject the proposal by addressing matters it has control over, such as the municipality's responsibility over failed septic systems of multi-family rental units, recently enforced

through the health unit.

Reeve Bill Davis said the developer was warned council is wary about entering into agreements for condominiums at the present time because of this health unit restriction. "He knows it's an issue which must be dealt with."

Deputy-Reeve Lloyd Leadbeater said if the environmental study is

positive, "I have no problem with 19 units."

"But we still have to make the decision on septic systems," insisted Parish.

"We do need to explore that," said Leadbeater, who asked that the developer be reminded of the septic problem when he is notified of the resolution.

Roads foreman dies at 48

A 17-year veteran with the county roads department died suddenly on Sunday while coaching in a hockey tournament.

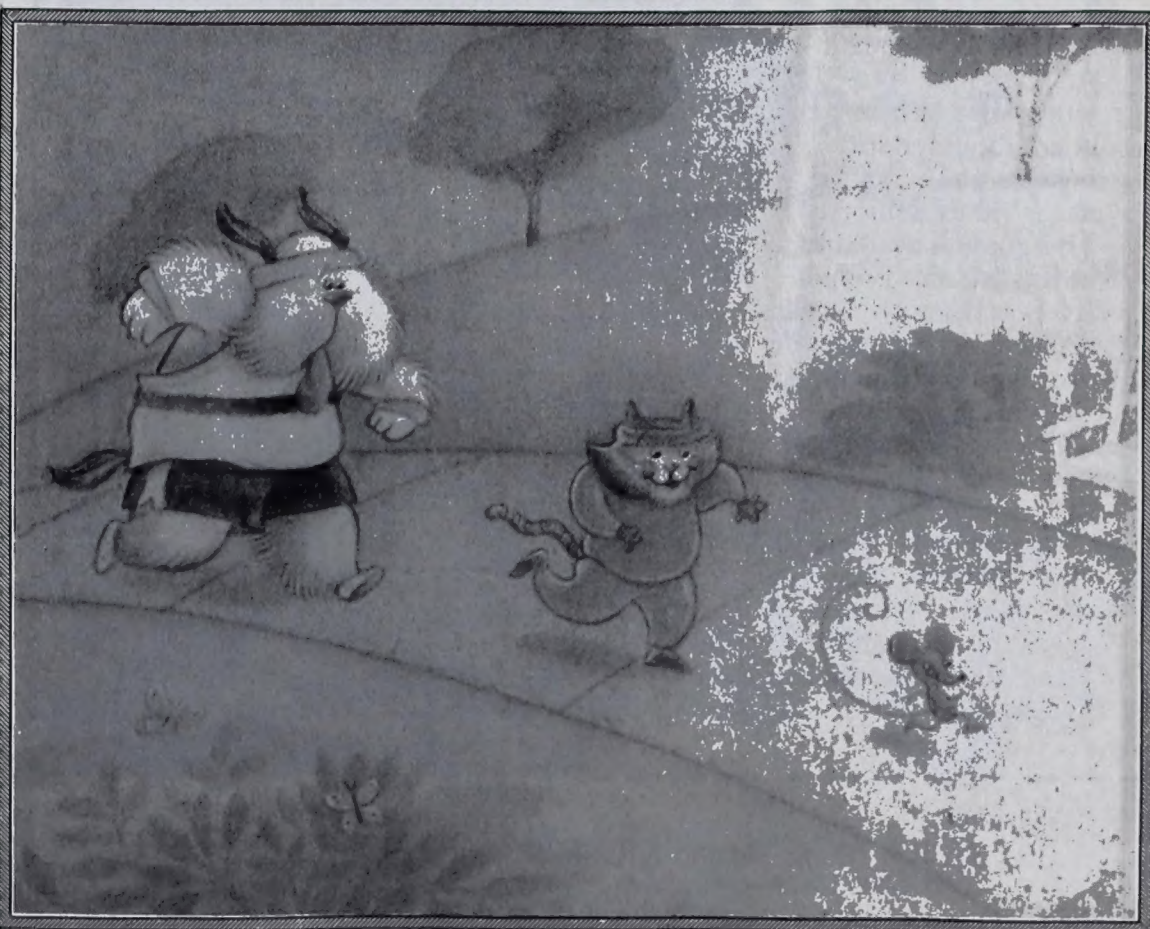
Lorne Ray of Cardiff was foreman of the county's Highland Grove yard. He collapsed on Sunday afternoon in the player's box at the Bancroft arena, where he was coaching a team in a tri-county tournament. He was 48.

For quite some time Mr. Ray

knew he had an aneurysm, says Monmouth Reeve Keith Tallman. "He lost a sister to the same thing" and doctors could do nothing about his.

"He was a great guy, really comical," says Reeve Tallman. "He really enjoyed life, there's no doubt about it."

Mr. Ray leaves behind his wife, Pat, and two daughters, Kelly and Jodi.



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THIS WEEK



MIDDLE THROUGH THE PUDDLE: Last week's showers finally broke with sunshine but left a few flooded areas in Wilberforce. Chad Bowers, 12, tried using a hockey stick to retrieve Veronica Ablett's ball.

EarthFest has ecological plea

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

Representatives of EarthFest have requested Dysart council's assistance to organize the event, which they hope will "emphasize the actions we need to take to bring the environment around."

Eric Lilius and Virginia Muenzel approached council Monday. EarthFest events will be divided into eight areas of Head Lake Park, explained Lilius. The following was requested from the municipality:

- provision of a recycling bin posted with clear instructions on how to recycle various materials;
- access to the bandshell for EarthFest performances; and
- extra portable toilets.

Lilius also made some additional requests not directly related to EarthFest, including that council pass a resolution that recycled paper be used in the municipality's administration, and that a meadow of wildflowers be planted in an area of the park instead of grass.

Also, a household hazardous

waste disposal day was requested for residents to get rid of products such as oil, pesticides and paints which would be harmful in a landfill site.

Council was receptive to this latter proposal. Reeve Bill Davis said the municipality ran a Ministry of the Environment-funded hazardous waste disposal day in 1987, and can receive such funding for one day each year.

"By helping with advertising, we can reduce your costs," suggested Lilius, a member of CHANGE (County of Haliburton Advocates for a Naturally Good Environment).

Murray Fearrey then suggested council "have the grocery stores sell only phosphate-free soaps."

Davis said council probably couldn't ban phosphate soaps outright. "We would hope our stores would do it on their own as good citizens."

Muenzel agreed, saying changes occur on a small scale when each person tries to make a difference. "Our hope is if we do our part, others will follow suit."

Clerk Donna McCallum pointed out that only phosphate-free cleaners are used in municipal buildings such as the arena, she said.

Decision on the pair's suggestions will be turned over to the environment committee.

\$5,000 grant helps Dysart's efficiency

Applications will be processed a little more quickly at the Dysart et al municipal office, thanks to a \$5,000 grant from the Ministry of Housing.

"The funds are to be used to increase the efficiency of municipal building administration and inspection procedures," says a press release.

The grant comes from the Building Administration Fund which is available to all Ontario municipalities. The money can be used to improve the processing of building permits, refine inspection procedures, upgrade building records maintenance or share services with neighbouring municipalities.

Hazard lands aren't carved in stone, MNR tells Minden

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

Alterations of inaccurate hazard land designations don't always require official plan amendments, the Minden Planning Advisory Committee has learned.

Hazard land zoning problems have been wrestled with by the committee because some mapping in the municipality's official plan is incorrect. The mapping, required by the Ministry of Natural Resources, was drawn up from aerial photographs, rather than on-site inspections of properties.

Committee members were concerned that property owners must pay for the ministry's mistakes to amend the official plan's designation of incorrectly mapped land.

But a letter to the municipality from Minden District MNR manager Jim Barker states any "action to remove the requirement for an official plan amendment when a minor line change is required" would be supported by the MNR.

The ministry would do site inspections of individual properties, and provide a revised flood-line where necessary, says Barker.

Still, many planning committee

members weren't convinced their problems are solved at Wednesday's meeting.

Dean Elliott said it seems the municipality must live with its mapping problems, and the ministry restrictions, until the official plan is revised. "It's like wearing a seatbelt. It's the law. Until it's revised, we're stuck with it."

And Elliott took exception to the description "minor line change." "What the hell is that?" he asked. "Is it 10 feet or 66 feet?"

Chief Building Official Tom Hubercheck noted that a severance

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MOE pays for sewer delays

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

The following matters were discussed in brief by Dysart et al council on Monday:

Extension Delays

Increased costs caused by delays in approving an extension of Haliburton's Water Pollution Control Plant were reluctantly approved by council.

Delays are the result of complaints from area cottage associations and residents concerned an extension of the sewage line to service Lake Kashagawigamog resorts would further harm lake water quality.

Study costs of \$55,000 estimated in 1988 have risen to \$180,000. Although 81 per cent of these costs will be funded by the environment ministry, council finds the delays most discouraging.

"It's even more discouraging if there is no intention to do it," said Councillor Murray Fearrey.

Council hopes to hear the ministry's decision on the matter soon.

Unilingual woes

In considering a letter on the "preservation of English language rights endorsement" from the City of Sault Ste. Marie, council said its not the municipality's place to decide on unilingualism.

"Our umbrella, the County of Haliburton, has already decided to support such action, and that's where the onus should lay, with the county," said Reeve Bill Davis.

Haliburton became unilingual after a vote at last month's county council meeting.

Councillor Murray Fearrey said "I don't think they did it with the right understanding."

"I agree," said Davis, who wasn't present to cast his dissenting vote on the matter at county council. "The right thing was done for the wrong reason."

Waste-watchers

Council won't comply with a request from Faraday Township to use landfill sites in Dysart et al.

Reeve Bill Davis noted the Bancroft-area township was in-

vited to join Haliburton County's Waste Management Master Plan. Now that the Ministry of Environment is closing its landfill site, the township is looking for someplace to put its garbage.

"I don't think we could even consider this," said Davis. "The continuation of our sites is limited, and to let a township use our sites would limit it further."

Truck bucks

The municipality has yet to receive a corrected bill for a truck serviced in Peterborough.

The bill was disputed at last month's council meeting by Councillor Murray Fearrey, who was angry the work would be sent out of the township.

Reeve Bill Davis said he authorized the truck to be sent to Peterborough's Winslow-Gerolamy automotive centre. Estimated cost for the was lower than in the area, but the bill which eventually arrived to the municipality was higher than expected.

When questioned, the auto dealer said the municipality was wrongly over-charged by \$2,000, but has yet to correct the mistake.

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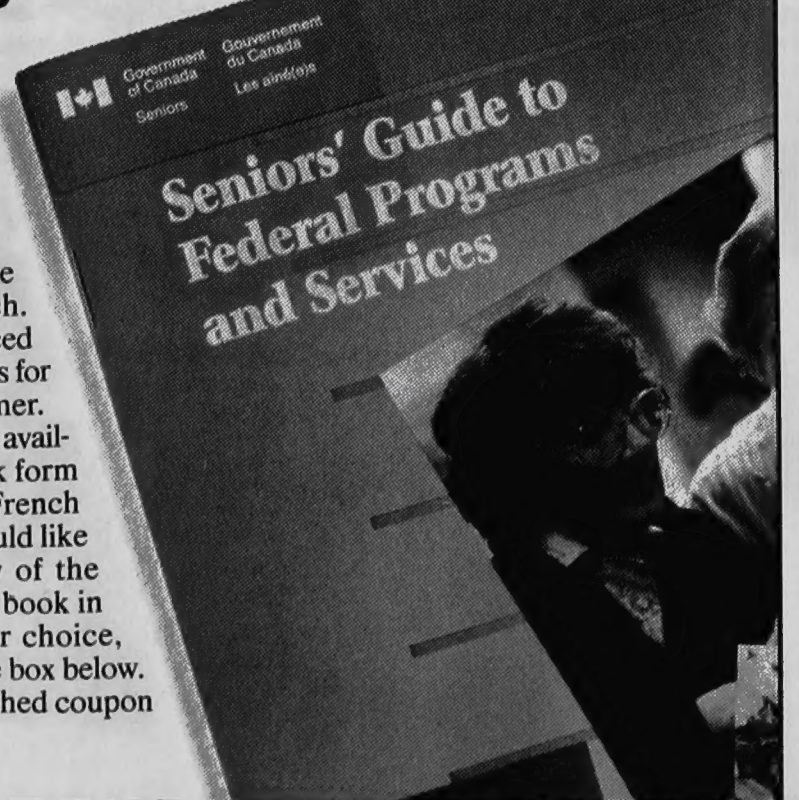
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THIS WEEK

More pilots are touching down at Stanhope airport

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

The following is a description in brief of some of the items discussed at last Wednesday's Stanhope council meeting:

Keep your garbage

Faraday Township didn't even have to ask the question before it got its answer. A letter from the Bancroft-area council has been circulating in the county. It asks to be allowed to dump its garbage in local landfill sites because one of Faraday's had to be closed.

"You know the answer before you read the letter—no," said Deputy-reeve Ann Barker. Council agreed.

Shoreline approval

A group of cottagers on Boshkung Lake have been given the go-ahead to buy their 66' shoreline road allowances—although two cottagers already own their portions, and another cottage is built on the allowance anyway.

"It will clean up a mess," said Councillor Eleanor Harrison. The cottages are along the old Highway 35, south of Foster's store.

Seniors get funds

The Seniors Social Club will be allowed to keep 25 per cent of the proceeds from the Bingo and Nevada Nights it operates. Seventy-five cent of the money will be given to the Recreation

Committee, which had previously been getting all of the funds.

"It's quite a commitment," said Councillor Eleanor Harrison. "They have done an excellent job but I think they're starting to feel used."

The funds will go into a separate bank account and while the club will make recommendations on how the money is spent at the Firefighter's Hall, final approval still rests with council.

Dumping fees

People who don't live in Stanhope but want to dump their garbage there will have to pay a fee of \$25, which is the estimated cost to the township per resident for maintaining the landfill sites.

At first, Councillor Fred Gardner wanted businesses to pay \$75, but fellow councillors felt \$25 was sufficient. As well, contractors working on houses in the township and disposal services will not have to pay the fee.

Stanhope has recently given each ratepayer a card to allow use of its three landfill sites. However, residents on the fringe of the township, such as those in the Minden-half of Carnarvon, can continue to use the sites if they pay the \$25 fee.

Frequent flyers

Now that the Stanhope airport has been paved, more pilots are beginning to touch down in the Highlands, the airport manager says.

"There's definitely more signs of business," said Michael Carey. "The word is slowly getting out."

Council won't fan unilingual fire

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

It's better to say nothing than to put fat on the fire about bilingualism, Stanhope council has decided.

At last Wednesday's meeting, it tabled letters about the Bill 8 (French Languages Act) debate, which has grown on the heels of several municipalities making English their official language. The Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), the Ministry of Municipal Affairs, the city of Sault Ste. Marie, which sparked the debate, the city of Toronto, which re-affirmed bilingualism and the Township of Snowdon all sent letters to council. Only the AMO and Snowdon letters were read.

Snowdon, which has declared itself English-only, asked for support in its request that the provincial government avoid waste by sending English documents to English municipalities. Government

documents are written in both French and English, although mailing procedures differ with each ministry.

AMO stressed that the act "guarantees a person's right to receive provincial government services in French in 22 areas of Ontario." It does not affect municipal governments.

"We believe the act is a fair and reasonable measure to protect the language rights of this province's French-speaking population," says the letter. "It is also consistent with our view of a country where the rights of English- and French-speaking Canadians are respected."

"I like the AMO letter, but I think it's come a little too late," said Councillor Eleanor Harrison, who added she did not agree with county council passing an English-only motion last month. "It's our heritage, two languages."

"We're only adding fuel to the flames by going this route," said

Councillor Murray Daniels.

"I can appreciate Snowdon's request as long as it's not misconstrued," said Councillor Fred Gardner.

Deputy-reeve Ann Barker, who voted in favour of English-only at county council, said *The Echo* misconstrued what that vote meant.

"(The paper) made us look like bigots and idiots," she said. If a francophone came to the township office, the staff would do their best to accommodate the person. "I think the media has stirred things up."

"Bill 8 is not going to force municipalities to translate by-laws into French," said Daniels. However, should the government decide municipalities must also provide services for the French, "these (English-only) resolutions aren't worth the paper they're printed on."

"We're sending a bad message," if council responded to Snowdon's letter, said Harrison.

"I wouldn't mind if we just filed that," said Gardner and clerk-administrator Gerald Bain did just that.

Motor power limit of 10 h.p. is requested for Bat Lake

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

The Bat Lake Ratepayers' Association is pushing to restrict power motors on the lake to 10 horsepower.

Anson, Hindon and Minden council considered a letter from association president Tim Koivusalo during its March 8 meeting. Koivusalo says his association is currently pursuing an application to make the motor limit official.

The association has monitored the water quality over the last eight years through the Ministry of the Environment's Self-Help program. "There had been marked deterioration at times of shoreline development," such as timbering in the winter of 1983 to '84, Koivusalo says.

"Bat Lake is a small, eutrophic, and marginal lake and is enjoyed by cottagers who are all canoe, wind-surf, and paddle boat enthusiasts," reads the letter. "Indeed, the only reason to purchase property on a small lake is to enjoy the tranquility and these quiet pursuits."

Koivusalo says power boats not

only have a detrimental effect on these pursuits, but "the wake created by them would cause erosion of the shoreline with its subsequent nutrient inflow."

"The ban would also preserve the existing wild life such as loons, herons, otters and beavers, as well as the freshly stocked bass that the association is providing at its own expense."

Council said it would hear from all people on Bat Lake about the matter, but said the Ministry of Natural Resources has the final approval.

New severance rules adopted

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

Monmouth council has developed new rules for people who want to sever property in the township.

At its March 5 meeting, councillors agreed that the final survey of the severance must be approved by the by-law enforcement officer

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Tackling hazard zones

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proposal for two abutting properties currently before the committee provides an example for the inequalities in mapping. One is zoned as hazard land, the other is not. The properties, owned by Bonnie and Lloyd Ackerblade, are on Bobcaygeon Road at the Queen's Line.

Jim Garbutt said the committee could easily recommend approval for both severances. "There's nothing to say they can't sever hazard land. We could point out that they can't get a building permit."

Garbutt also wanted to add an explanation that the township is "not being mean" in refusing a building permit. "Our hands are tied."

Bern Berry, who is also Deputy-reeve, said this would put the property owners through "an unnecessary expense" of going through a severance application.

Most undeveloped properties left in the municipality are within a hazard land designation, said Bill Payne. "We're going to run into this again."

In considering the two Ackerblade severance applications, the committee approved both. The one with hazard land zoning was approved subject to rezoning, official plan amendment, and approval from the MNR following an on-site inspection.

Payne said there should be a discussion between council and the ministry "on this recurring topic," and hoped council would consider revising its mapping when it carries out a review of the official plan this year.

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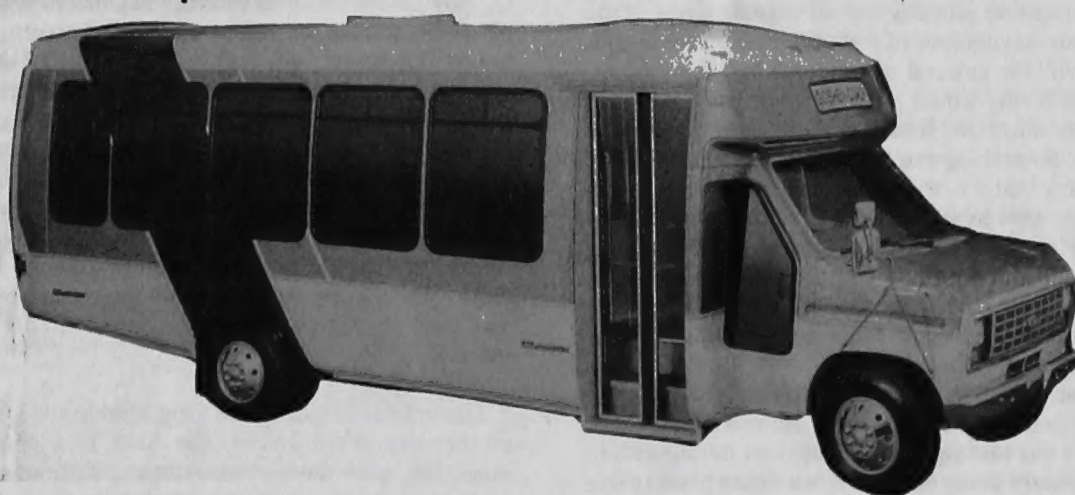
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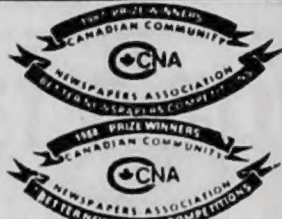
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Editorials

The condo question

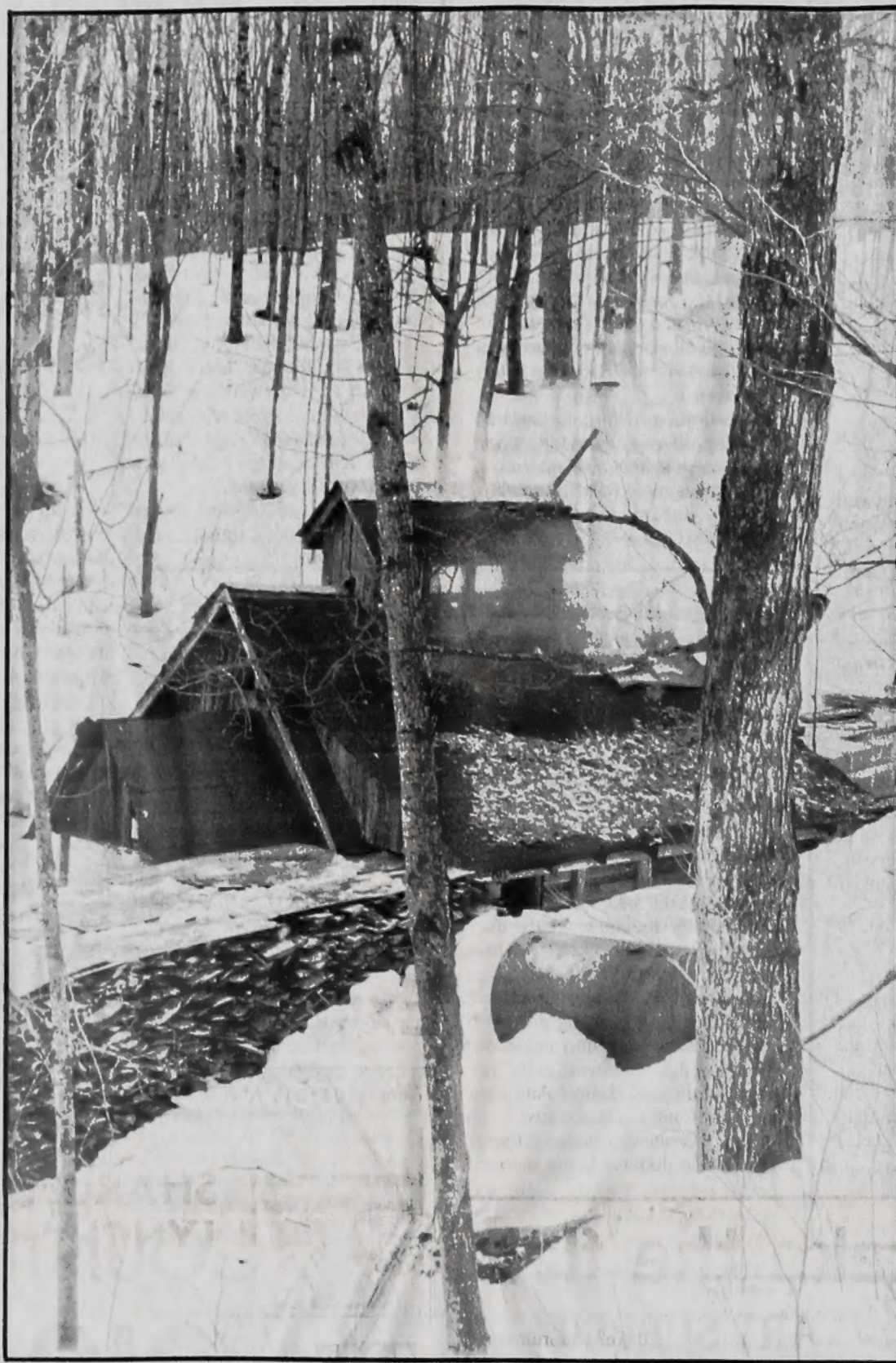
Development has changed the face of Haliburton County dramatically over the past few years, and the consequences are more than skin deep. Local communities look different than they did a decade ago, but their character has also changed, and not always for the better. People still feel more connected to their neighbours and involved with the wider community in Haliburton County than do most people in cities. In fact, people seeking that connection, that sense of belonging, have fueled much of the local development boom. But the pace of life is quickening, and the dream of tranquility, the luxury of leisure time, grow ever more elusive.

As communities grow, so to does the complexity of life within them. More people create more demand for goods and services, and place more stress on the environment, no matter how conscious they may be of the need to preserve and respect the fragile landscape whose beauty drew them here in the first place.

No people are more vulnerable to these pressures than local politicians. Increasingly, they must struggle to find a balance between the unalterable pressure for development and the undeniable imperative to protect the environment and respect the character of life and landscape in Haliburton County. And they do not always have the tools with which to measure and weigh the benefits against the costs, because the issues are highly subjective. Development is never wholly good and seldom wholly bad. It is possible, perhaps, to predict the impact of a proposed development on water quality with respect to pollution from human sewage, but who can say how people will use the world around them? Will they wash their hair in the lake, play their stereo on the dock, shatter the peace with 'toys'? It is not just the efficacy of septic systems that determines the impact of development but people's attitudes and activities, their aesthetic and philosophy. And these are not things which councils can predict, or even influence, except in a very general way.

The challenges facing local councils, and the community at large, grow more complex as the tide of development washes every stronger over the area. As the supply of shoreline suitable for cottage lot development dwindles, the pressure for alternatives, particularly for condominium development, is rising. One has only to travel through Muskoka to realize that people have seen the future of cottage country, and the future is multiple unit development on waterfront. And that future isn't far off. PineStone Inn's plans for condominiums have been stalled by the environment ministry's refusal to fund a sewage line extension to Haliburton, but it is only a matter of time before alternative sewage disposal methods are adopted. Condominium redevelopment almost certainly represents the future for many of Haliburton County's lakefront resorts, which are struggling to remain viable in the face of rising costs, growing tax burdens and changing consumer demands. Dysart council has approved in principle, a proposed condominium development above Sir Sams Ski area. On Monday, it flatly rejected the idea of permitting 30 residential units on three lakefront lots at Eagle Lake. It also expressed serious reservations about a proposal for 19 condominium units on a former motel property on Paradise Lake. Similar proposals are being hatched by experienced and would-be developers in municipalities throughout Haliburton County.

The experience with condominiums in Muskoka has been mixed. They have pumped huge sums of money into the local economy, which is scores of times bigger than Haliburton County's. They have enabled people to enjoy a style of cottage country living that would otherwise have been unattainable — and consumer demand is a force to be reckoned with. Properly conceived and carefully executed, they have had minimal physical impact on the lakeshore environment. But their impact on the character of Muskoka cottage country has been profound. Will the experience in Haliburton County be the same? The signs are pointing strongly in that direction, and there may be no way off the road that a legion of developers are determined to embark upon.



Tyler's Sugar Shack

Photo by Len Pizze

Canadian pride is evaporating

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

OUR READERS WRITE...

To the Editor:

The Lord's Prayer is out of schools. Religious education is gone. Government approves turbans in the RCMP. A couple of areas where minorities run the government. Keeps getting harder to stand up and say "PROUD TO BE A CANADIAN!"

Jim Congdon,
Minden

Un-Canadian

To the Editor:

I do not consider myself to be racist or prejudiced against any race, religion or minority group. However I am proud to be a Canadian, and I am angry and frustrated to see our weakened government, and particularly our Prime Minister allow our national heritage to be gradually eroded by giving in to pressure from immigrant minorities.

I believe that multi-culturalism is one of the things that makes Canada strong and the best place in the world to live. If that is not so, why do so many people, from so many cultures and religions emigrate to Canada?

With the exception of native Canadians, we are all the descendants of immigrants to this country, whose hard work and visions for the future created a country with an exciting history, and traditions that enable us to identify with our country and our heritage. They also established symbols of our country that are instantly recognized world wide, e.g. the maple leaf, the beaver and the uniform of the R.C.M.P.

One of these symbols, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, whose scarlet tunics and stetson hats have stimulated the imagination of countless Canadians, is now threatened by an unfeeling, uncaring and in my mind, un-Canadian — namely Brian Mulroney.

A few nights ago, while watching television I was sickened to hear this un-Canadian say that he saw no problem if Sikhs were allowed to wear turbans as part of the R.C.M.P. uniform. (Obviously he has no conception of the meaning of the word uniform).

His claim, that to disallow Sikhs to wear turbans while in uniform is discriminating is absolutely ridiculous.

I see no problem in recruiting Sikhs or any other immigrant minority into the R.C.M.P., provided that they are required to meet the enlistment criteria, and dress codes, the same way as any other Canadians must do.

Since the R.C.M.P. is enlisting more members from other cultures, it seems that our Prime Minister would have it become a laughing stock, rather than a national symbol, when the "Musical Ride" tours the world as a circus act with all of its various ethnic members wearing their turbans, eagle feathers, skull caps and burnouses.

Although people from ethnic minorities should be encouraged to join any and all organizations, if the rules and regulations of that organization are in conflict with the cultural or religious beliefs of the individual, why would he or she seek employment in that organization? It makes about as much sense as a pro-lifer seeking employment in an abortion clinic.

I think that it is about time that immigrants to this country were told: YES, keep your national customs and religions; and YES, teach your children your language and the pride you have in your heritage; but NO, your customs and traditions do not take precedence over the customs and traditions of your new country — Canada!

Brian Mulroney is on such an ego trip, trying to establish himself as the world's Human Rights Hero, that he has lost sight of the fact that immigrants to this country come because it is a better place to live than the place they left. Can he not see that it would be better for them to adapt to our way of life rather than we to theirs?

If we Canadians bear any malice it should be directed against our politicians who are promoting racism and discrimination by changing rules and setting up various groups or sects as "distinct societies" and thus targets for those of us who feel that all Canadians, old and new, should be treated equally. It appears that Brian Mulroney's idea of human rights is to tear down the Maple Leaf and replace it with a patchwork quilt of the flags of all the nations of the world.

If your readers agree with Mulroney et al, I am
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FEIR PLAY



CREIGHTON FEIR

I'M BACK THIS WEEK harping on one of my favourite subjects and that is littering. I, along with several others in the community, am getting a little provoked over all the people who go around throwing their litter all over the place. Just the other day we noticed that beer drinkers, instead of saving their empty cans and taking them back for a refund or leaving them off to be recycled, are throwing them on the ground or on roads. How in the world can we keep our country clean if this nonsense is going to continue? Let's all start to use a little common sense and place our debris in litter containers, or leave them at home and take them to the dump where they belong.

It looks as though spring will be a little earlier than usual this year. We heard some news this week which makes us believe it could be sooner than we think. Ken Maguire of Haliburton, who lives on the Parish Line, was telling me that he noticed four robins near his place one day last week and Royce Bain, who also resides on the Parish Line, reports seeing several in the same area.

This may be the time to see robins flying around the air but they aren't the only ones drawing attention these days. When Brenda Harding, who lives near the airport at Maple Lake, was driving to work she saw nine deer in a group along the highway. Brenda is employed at the Bank of Montreal in Haliburton.

I had a coffee with Norm Eade in a local restaurant one day last week and he was telling me that he was going through some of his bills dated 1967 and it was interesting to note just how much prices have gone up since that time. I have some of these bills in front of me and I will try to give you a few of the amounts that appeared. At Western Tire, an exhaust pipe cost \$10.65 and entire bill for a muffler system and labour came to \$73.61. Norm who was living at St. George, Ontario, at the time purchased a jacket and a pair of trousers for \$56.45. He bought a 1968 Volkswagon from Clyde Bowman Motors Limited for \$1890. Here's one that's hard to believe, but it's true. A refrigerator went for \$60 and a range was only \$139. In 1969 a large men's snowmobile suit was purchased from Uniroyal Centres in Brantford for the low, low price of \$24.15. When it comes to prices, what a difference a few years makes.

A year ago the Kingston Canadiens were one of the worst teams in the Ontario Hockey League. It was a team going nowhere. A team on a league record losing streak of 28 straight games. During the summer months the team was purchased by Whitby Mayor Bob Attersley, a former Whitby Dunlops player when they won the world hockey championship and our own Wren Blair, who was manager of that championship team and then went on to the management position with the Minnesota North Stars of the National Hockey League. They changed things around and the team name went back to the Kingston Frontenacs. Other changes were made that shot the team into first place in their division, and a once losing franchise has been changed over to a winning team, both on and off the ice. The fans have been flocking back to the arena to watch the Frontenacs who in many people's opinion are one of the best teams in Kingston's hockey history.

It won't be long before people will be getting set for the influx of tourists and summer residents that means so much to the economy of Haliburton County. Now, more than ever it is essential that local people, who sometimes resent the busier streets, the longer line-ups at cash registers, the noise of boats and motors on the lakes, take a moment to reflect on the fact that all this means great things for your community and Haliburton County. The winter is drawing to a close and with spring arriving a little earlier this year the skiing and snowmobiling is practically nil and the hockey playoffs now in progress remind us that the hockey season is drawing to a close. We can now start to put out the welcome mat and start to welcome the cottagers and summer tourists.

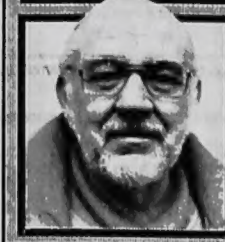
The annual Minden Sled Dog Derby got a shot in the arm when INFO, the Sled Dog Racing magazine, gave them some extra exposure in a recent issue of the magazine that is published in Woodland Park, Colorado. The local derby took up the back page with a 1/4 page photo on the inside pages, plus a full page of information and photos. The Sled Dog Derby held in Minden each January is sponsored by Martin Pet Foods of Elmira, Ontario.

The Community Enrichment Forum will be presenting an afternoon of entertainment, light refreshment and informal discussion at the Minden United Church on Sunday, March 25 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. The theme is "How Our Community Can Benefit From Cultural Diversity".

POINTS OF VIEW

Memories of past loves blossom

AS OTHERS SEE IT



BOB GIULIANO

RAIN! COLD, FOGGY AND RAIN. It chills to the bones and causes you to withdraw from folks. No matter what you're doing there seems to be no way to escape the gray gloom. The earth looks dirty with a winter's worth of garbage being slowly exposed by the melting black-pepper snow. Rough time of year for the spirits.

So put on some country music and remember your high school romance! That'll warm your toes and tummy.

She was a tall, brown-haired scholar. I hadn't noticed her much until that spring. She got straight As and I got straight Ds plus one A in Phys. Ed. which kept me eligible for sports. She was the editor of the school paper, president of the French club, and vice-president of student's council. I was playing football, basketball, baseball and running track. She was a cheer leader but not the one you would notice. (I was going with the one you'd notice). She was athletic in a refined sort of way: horseback riding and tennis. Midwinter she was sent to represent the school in some big city. Midwinter, I got expelled for two weeks.

I remember her mostly as a rather straight forward lady who always carried books. Horn-rimmed glasses marked a plain face. Good teeth. You know the kind. She liked the teachers.

I was a slouch. The class clown and mostly bored with books and teachers although respectful. I liked people and action. She was studious, aloof and had already been accepted by the Pennsylvania college for women. That seemed right.

I was trying to decide about going to the Korean front, or having to repeat highschool. Actually, I didn't think much about the future. I was having a great time. Friends, sports, a girl friend and was even "King" of the senior prom. She was writing her valedictorian address and taking some flute lessons. When you think of it, it was a classic scenario: studious girl meets happy-go-lucky boy. It is sort of like coming face to face with another part of yourself that each has long neglected.

I can't remember when it all started. I think it was one of those senior class trips that I first saw her. She told me that the night after we lost the basketball tournament by one point in overtime she saw

me. I was crying. I denied it.

Whenever it happened, it was like being transported into another dimension of the world. There were flowers of amazing beauty, never having been there before. Birds, trees—the whole earth seemed to come alive. She could be a lot of fun and I passed my finals with her help.

I wrote poems, schmaltzy schlock. I learned to play a ukelele and wrote songs for her, even sang 'em to her once. We had a relationship where the heart was free to speak and was accepted.

We talked and walked as if we'd been friends for a lifetime. We met each other's parents. Her home, a "bird" colonel's, was elegant and formal. The dinner table had more knives, forks and spoons at each setting than we had on the whole table at home. I sweated it out. Her father was one big man with one big frown. He was not happy about his eldest daughter's love life. Her mom though, seemed delighted, if not in me, at least in her daughter's being alive and having fun for a change. Maybe it all reminded her mom of her own early years.

It was a love affair that was painless and full of joy. It had a kind of finality to it. This is "it". Relaxed, free and terribly romantic, we both knew this was a miracle and was forever. From the time we met, there didn't seem to be anyone else in the world that mattered. There was an understanding between us: life has begun here and now with us. No one in the whole world has ever felt the way we do.

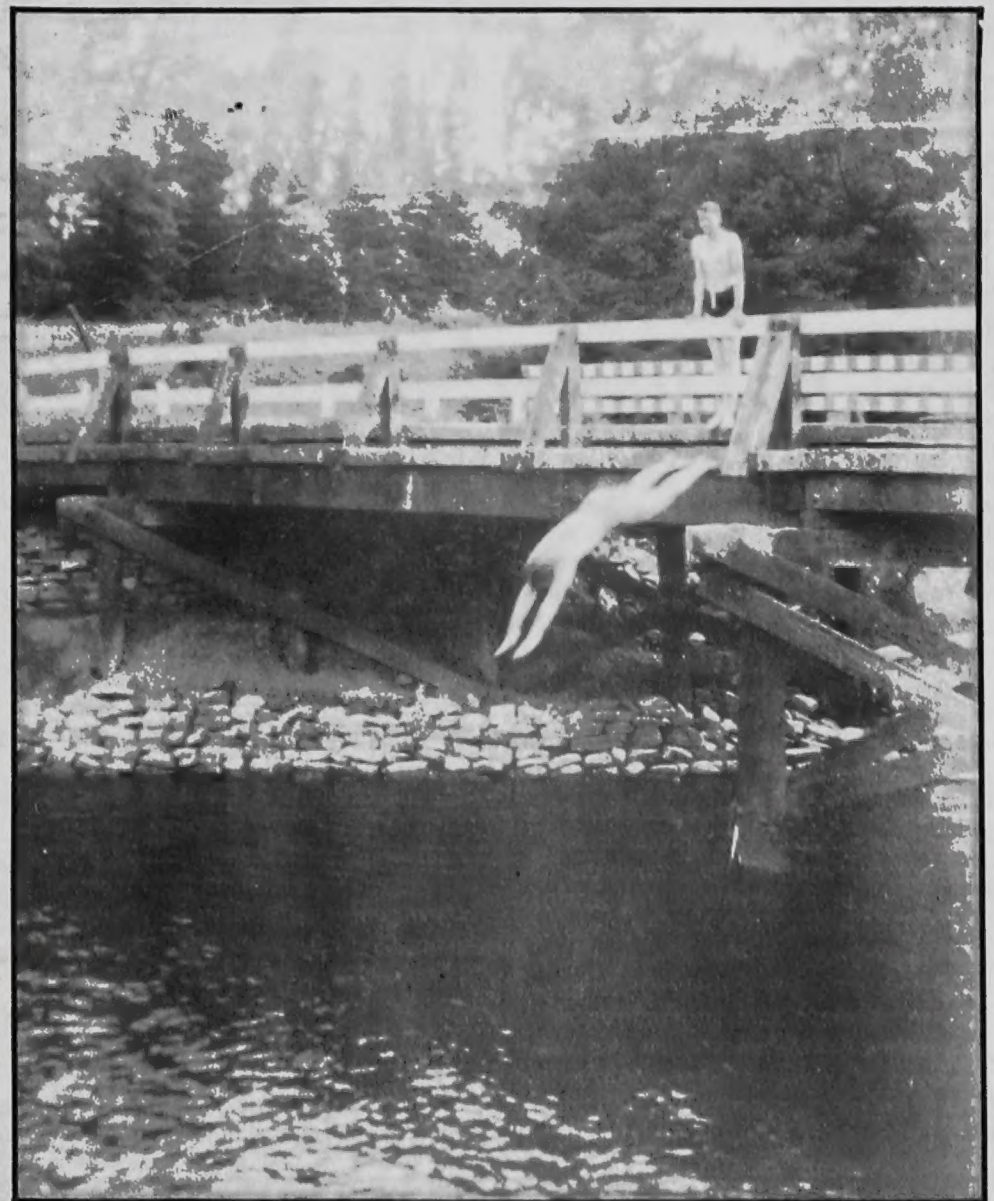
I gave her my "Eagles" basketball jacket. Green and white looked good on her. She also wore my white sweater with the big "N" on the pocket. We were always together. The teachers had a worried look for her and a pathetic sigh for me. They were good sports though and knew to respect this rite of spring.

I won the high jump that spring and hit several solid home runs that I can still feel. She won academic honours and gave a different valedictorian address than she had planned. It was full of tears and romance instead of "we are the future, to us is passed the torch" stuff. The speech was about matters of the heart, freedom, hope and beauty in a lonely world.

The last I saw of the rosy cheeked, sparkling eyed valedictorian of Nuremburg High School was when I visited Pennsylvania College for Women that winter.

I was given back my Eagles jacket on that trip. For years the jacket smelled like that sweet spring when the whole world blossomed and I became a poet.

I wonder what has become of Ginny? And Linda, and Alice, and Patti, and... Oh, I know what has become of Betty. We're about to enter our thirty-third spring this year! I'm looking forward to it!



Pic of the Past

The warm spring days we have been experiencing in March bring forth memories of the summer and a dip in your favourite swimming hole. This picture is of the third Walling's Bridge constructed

near the present high school in Haliburton in the 1930s. This photo was taken in the late 1940s. Shown in the photo are some of the Wallings' dairy workers, who would go down to the bridge for a swim after work. The two men in the photo are Don Walling standing and the late Ron Pearson diving. Photo and information courtesy of Don Johnston, Haliburton, Ontario.

Experience is a terrible teacher

DOWN OUR ROAD



SHARON LYNCH

THEY ALL SAID it was a terrible tragedy. But as she sat in the room, all she felt was numb. Later, when all this was over, she'd let her mind think about it. But right now she didn't want to. There were too many other things to do, to settle. Thank goodness for her family and friends. If it hadn't been for them, she'd be a basket case for sure.

It had happened so suddenly. Friday night, they'd been down the road at their neighbour's playing euchre. The kids had run around for a bit, outside and in, then settled down in front of the TV where they finally nodded off. She and Rick and the other couple had played several hands with much kibbitzing around. She saw Rick was drinking too much beer, it went down too quick and easy, but she didn't want to make a fuss in front of the others and he had had a hard week. So she turned a blind eye and tried to ignore it, even when he got a little rowdy and tried to pick an argument over some stupid incident that had happened last year.

Thank goodness the other woman brought out sandwiches and coffee about midnight. Rick wolfed some down but next thing she knew he was asking for another beer. They left around 1:30, carrying the kids out to the car. She had to watch Rick didn't stumble with the baby. When they got home the kids were whining, half asleep. She tucked them in. Rick was waiting in the kitchen and she saw right

away he had cracked yet another beer.

"Honey, let's go to bed," she said, ignoring the beer, wanting him just to stop now because he had enough. He said something about no woman telling him what to do and how he had to settle something with his cousin over by Minden. "But Rick, it's going on 2 o'clock in the morning. They'll all be asleep. Can't it wait until morning?"

He said no it couldn't and left in a huff. After he left, she checked the kids, then put on her jacket and called the old dog for a walk. She always like walking at night. The moon was big and full, the stars spread above her head like little lanterns. She and the dog walked down the road past the lake, undisturbed by any cars or noise other than the lake heaving and groaning in the cold. After an hour, she went back in the house, calmer and so tired all she cared about was sleep. Rick could sleep late in the morning but she'd be up early with the children.

He never came home that night. About 6 o'clock she was awakened by a knocking on the door. It was the OPP, that young constable they all knew. He looked pale, despite the cold weather and as she asked him to step into the kitchen, she just knew it was bad.

"There's been an accident," he began. That's when she started shaking. She didn't hear all the words, just the key ones, like "rock cut", "killed instantly", "driving too fast". Next thing she knew her mother and sisters were in the kitchen and the rest was a fog.

The funeral home was full and the street outside was lined with cars. Chairs circled the room where his coffin was laid out. It was closed. Flowers were dripping everywhere, whites and reds mostly. She thought absent-mindedly that they were pretty; they'd look nice in the living room, even if Rick thought they looked silly. She caught herself then. What a thing to think of now!

And Rick: he'd never have another thought about

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Ministry must take the flak

THROUGH THE PERISCOPE



MARTHA PERKINS

EVERY ONCE AND AWHILE I get lulled into complacency about the activities of the steering committee investigating long-term health care in Haliburton County. Because the Ministry of Health so clearly planned to suffocate cries of protest by bulldozing through with pages and pages of reports, I accepted—begrudgingly—that the study was inevitable.

Not to mention that many of the issues discussed at the meetings have already been written about in *The Echo*, so very little seemed new.

However, every so often something sparks my indignation, and anger over-rides patience. Last week, it was the thought of the open houses the committee is planning.

The 600 people who were present at the last public meeting in November know that none of their concerns were answered by the ministry officials who sat with their backs to the people. (A fitting image.)

The anger which threatened to erupt then has been simmering ever since. There's no reason to believe some of it won't boil over at another public meeting.

So my question is "Who's going to be there to take all the fireworks?" In no way should it be the local people who are sitting on the committee. They have absolutely no responsibility to act as stooges

for the ministry.

Will the ministry officials be there? Unfortunately, what their past actions have taught us is that they are fine at making decisions out of their Toronto offices, but are cowards when it comes to facing the people who their decisions affect.

(One of the first things you learn working at a small-town paper is responsibility. If I write something about someone, I have to feel comfortable with my actions in case I meet them at the grocery store. There's no place to hide, and no one to hide behind.)

The other thing I worry about is the study is progressing—and progressing and progressing—and the ministry has yet to say it will pick up the tab for cost over-runs should the 18-bed chronic care unit finally be approved. Every month's delay means \$40,000 is added to the price tag. Those costs will be expected to pay for two-thirds of the hospital when it's the government insisting the study be done? Of course not.

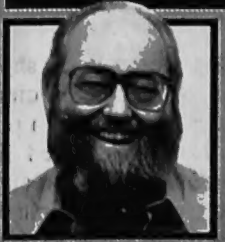
What's becoming clear is that the ministry has no intentions of building the unit. If you read between the lines, it wants to put the beds in Hyland Crest in Minden and Extendicare in Haliburton. It doesn't say where the people who would be displaced will go. Sure some of them will stay in their homes longer, but eventually, most of them will need some sort of assistance. That's one of the realities of getting old, although we do like to pretend scientists will discover a prescription for youth.

We need more facilities for our sick and our elderly. The reasons which made the Haliburton Hospital a logical place to add the beds are still true today. So build them.

The fight is on, yet it remains to be seen if the Ministry of Health is really ready to get into the ring.

Word games you can play

THE VIEW FROM HERE



HARVEY CLARKE

THE OTHER DAY, we were sitting around talking about the word games we've played, and a couple of examples came to mind that I thought might be worth sharing with you.

One of them is almost a literary version of the ball game 'monkey in the middle,' where two people toss a ball above and around another person until he finally catches on. The other is for somewhat deeper thinkers...

I don't know of a name for it, and to put in print

actually gives it away. It does not, however, prevent you (and someone else) playing it 'on' a third party:

You say to the friend who is in on the game something like: "I like kittens, but I don't like cats." They reply: "I like puppies but I don't like dogs."

The third person wants to know what you are talking about, but there are only two rules to the game. You never explain, but continue to give additional examples — each of which links two things that bear a relationship in some manner — and in which the first word has a pair of double letters, and the second one does not.

It looks simple on paper, but I think it took nearly 24 hours for me to figure it out...

The second game is called 'Irregular Verbs,' or sometimes 'Conjugations.' It was said to have been created during a BBC radio program by philosopher Bertrand Russell, when he declined the example: I am firm; You are obstinate; He is a pigheaded fool.

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NORTHERN LIGHTS



VIRGINIA MUENZEL

WASN'T IT WONDERFUL the way Spring just dropped from the sky last week? I walked around the house for an hour one morning before it dawned on me that the racket I was hearing in the background was a flock of red-winged blackbirds. Then, when I went out to feed the chickens, there was a pair of killdeer and a couple of robins doing their best to be heard. A little past noon on the same day, a Canada Goose made a low flying pass over the open water of Cranberry Bay, honking to the merganser ducks to get out of its way.

The fog was marvellous. At least when I didn't have to drive in it. I could watch it skitter around the bay, between the willows and cedars, across the

field and up the hill. Look out the window, a moment later, at a solid bank of grey. Then, at tops of trees and barn roofs. The fog bank moves away and back, creating ghostly shapes for hours. Then, suddenly the last thin mist of grey scoots off to somewhere while we note another new arrival.

My neighbour called one day to point out a pair of otters playing in the icy water. The crows returned, and starlings. But then, one glorious morning, when the fog had lifted, I looked out, and there it was. Serene, majestic, head held high... the swan is on his way, lake by lake, he flies a bit, then rests a day or so, until his wings are strong enough for the long haul to wherever it is he spends his summers.

It only stayed two days with us. He swam up the river, down the channel, into the marsh. Then he was gone. His leaving would be sad, except it lets us know that warmer days are coming. And soon, we'll hear the loons and swallows. See the great blue heron, and hear the honking of the geese. Watch the crocus and the tulips, dandelions and daisies sprout. Sap will run. Grey and white will be replaced by green and multi-coloured accents.

Ah... Spring in Haliburton. Is there any better place to spend it?

SPORTS



A BUSY GOALTENDER: Vasey Insurance forwards afternoon's Men's Hockey League play. The tactic worked, and worked, and worked. Youngdale's lost.

Keith Jackson PeeWees advance to the All-Ontario championship

Haliburton's Keith Jackson Real Estate PeeWees will advance to the All-Ontario Finals after winning their two weekend games.

On Saturday the PeeWees travelled to Langton for the third game of their semi-final series.

Mark Morissette netted two goals while brother Kevin added the other and an assist. Andy Billings and Curtis Bain assisted on the goals in a 3-2 final. Peter Brohman was outstanding in goal for Haliburton, and may have been the deciding factor in this important win.

Sunday, Haliburton hosted Langton and the final outcome was the same, as Haliburton advanced to the final series with a 3-2 win.

Jonathan Bishop scored the first goal for the locals,

on a pass from Andy Billings. Tim Keefer completed a play from Mark Morissette and Derek Glendinning scored the winner, assisted by Jonathan Bishop and Mark Stamp.

Jeff Teatro and Jackie Morrison were superb on defence as they kept the opposition from the front of the net. Brock Glendinning continued his verbal support from the bench and was ready if needed as a backup to Brohman.

Haliburton now meets the winner between Lucan and Teeswater to determine the OMHA "DD" All-Ontario Champion.

This series is expected to start this weekend but confirmation has not yet been finalized. Please ask someone around town as to the time and location before the weekend.

Emmerson takes title as MHL season ends

THIS WEEK IN THE M.H.L.

by: CHIP TRUEMAN

WELL SPORTS FANS, Saturday made it official. Emmerson Lumber (with their five wins, one loss and one tie) finished first in the standings and are now in the record books as league champions for the 89/90 hockey season. Congratulations once again! Anyone wanting a "close up look" at the champs trophy can see it at Emmerson Lumber's main showroom. Viewing times are 7:30am to 5:00pm daily.

Saturday of course marked the end of the year for all eight M.H.L. teams. A full slate of games was scheduled—let's take a look at the results.

Vasey Insurance started things off with their decisive victory over Youngdale's Fuels. Who was that guy in net anyway? Game two was a bit of a shocker. Haliburton Lumber pulverized Emmerson Lumber. What was the final? I stopped counting at seven. Hey Roy, does this mean that your contract will be renewed? In the third game Elstone Motors kept the statisticians awake by beating Bishop and Wilson. The motormen finished the playoffs with the same record as Emmerson's but didn't win the title because of their own loss to the lumbermen. Close one fellas! And finally, the amazing scoring duo of Mike Iles and Greg Bridge led Curry Motors to victory over Roberts-Austin Fuels. Bridge scored his FIRST goal of the season. It turned out to be the LAST league goal of the year. And he scored it against Vince Duchene. How's that for a grand finale, eh?

After the hockey, the players and their wives moved up to the second floor of Dysart's arena for a gala celebration and awards presentation. The "GOODTIME BAND" provided the entertainment.

Aside from a short break the band played well into the early hours. During the break I was honoured to be given the job of hosting the awards presentation. Most of that presentation went smoothly, but I did make one mistake. I incorrectly announced that Dan Ambridge was the individual team Top Scorer from Emmerson Lumber. The winner was in fact

Billy Whittaker. Sorry Dan. Congratulations Billy. Other players who received recognition were: Craig Woods...Rookie of the Year; Rob Abbs...Best Defenceman; Vince Duchene...Best Goalie; Scott Burke...Most Improved Player; Duff Mitchell...M.V.P. of the Playoffs; Billy Whittaker... Top Scorer-Emmerson Lumber; Floyd Henry...Top Scorer-Haliburton Lumber; Ron Yake...Top Scorer-Curry Motors; Steve Roberts...Top Scorer-Elstone Motors; Chris Hodgson...Top Scorer-Vasey Insurance; Darrell Stamp...Top Scorer-Roberts Austin Fuels; Bernie Upton...Top Scorer-Youngdale's Fuels; Rick Wood...Top Scorer-Bishop and Wilson. and finally last but not least, the league's most coveted prize... the M.H.L. TOP SCORER...RON YAKE. Of course the players of the championship

Saturday marked the end of season for all eight Men's Hockey League teams, with Emmerson Lumber reigning victorious as champions. A number of others also received awards for this "most excellent" year.

team also received some hardware. Representing Emmerson Lumber were: Kim Emmerson, Billy Whittaker, Roy Scott, Dan Ambridge, Duff Mitchell, Jerry Walker, Frank Powers, Peter Johnson, John Ballantyne, Scott Rae, Tim Davies and goalie Miles Maughen. Congratulations one and all!

The Haliburton Men's Hockey League was once again a terrific success. Three men responsible for that statement are Drew Carey, Chris Hodgson and Dean Curry. Their work did not go unnoticed. Thank you. Vince Duchene did a fine job compiling stats again this year. Your work is much appreciated. Some other people whose work is worthy of mention are Eric Nicholls and Bill Hartin for their clock tending and Carmen Lee for his ability to keep the ice "good and slippery". Thank you guys as well.

And so as they say on the California coast—it's been most excellent dude! Until October, I'm Chip and that was... THIS YEAR IN THE M.H.L.

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SPORTS

Emmerson Lumber emerged the champs of the 1989-90 Men's Hockey League season. Celebrating their win Saturday are, from left: kneeling: Kim Emmerson (C), Roy Scott, Billy 'Porker' Whittaker, and John Ballantyne. Back row: Jerry Walker, Scott Rae, Miles Maughan, Peter Johnson and Duff Mitchell. Absent are: Tim Davis, Frank Powers and Dan Ambridge.



Tri-County PeeWees are victorious in Port Perry tourney

Haliburton's Tri-County PeeWees won a one-day tournament in Port Perry last Wednesday.

Haliburton's first game was against Port Perry Emiels, and the final score was 8-3 in Haliburton's favour. Port Perry scored first, but Haliburton answered back in the first period with three goals. Billy Koz scored first, assisted by Randy Smith, Jeff Miscio scored assisted by Colin Morrison and then Johnny Hewson scored assisted by Koz and Jim O'Neill.

In the second period, Haliburton scored two more goals. Jamie McMahon, assisted by Morrison and Miscio started the scoring again. Miscio added another goal assisted by Morrison, who scored one of his own in the third assisted by Jamie Fryer and Miscio. Ken Teasdale, unassisted, scored goal number 7. Port Perry scored two more in the third, but Miscio put in another, assisted by Morrison and Tim Stouffer. Miscio and Morrison were definitely on the same "wave lengths" in this opening game.

The second game of the tournament for the PeeWees was against the Port Perry Scala team. This game was closer in scoring, but still the PeeWees came out on top 3-1. Haliburton's Ken Teasdale scored first, assisted by Morrison and Miscio. The teams seemed evenly matched in the second period, but in the third, Scala scored to tie the game. Johnny Hewson put in the go ahead goal, assisted by Stouffer and McMahon. Jeff Miscio, assisted by McMahon and Morrison, scored the final goal of the game.

This win put the PeeWees into the championship game against Larocque. This was a close scoring game but the PeeWees remained victorious 4-3. Morrison, assisted by Miscio, put in the first goal. Then in the second, Jim O'Neill scored another one for Haliburton. Larocque put in their first goal in the second period. Haliburton's Colin Morrison scored again, assisted by Jeff Miscio. These two must have been reading each other's minds. The Larocque team put in two more goals in the third to end the third period in a tie. Johnny Hewson assisted by Morrison in overtime, put in the winning goal to wrap up another tournament for the Haliburton Tri-County PeeWees.

Update on the PeeWees playoffs: The fight goes on for the Championship finals. Millbrook and Haliburton met again March 17 and again the final score was 1-1. Colin Morrison, assisted by Jeff Miscio and Randy Smith, scored first. The team played hard to hold onto their lead but in the third, Millbrook's Scott Sanderson scored unassisted. This leaves the points 4-2 for Haliburton. The final games are scheduled for this week.

Nicholls Novices sweep tournament action

The Nicholls Novices are making a clean sweep of tournament action, claiming their fourth straight championship. This team is very quickly building a character that needs little motivation when 'something' is on the line. Similarly, if regular

season play could be molded into a tournament they would be league champions.

Hosted by the Sutton District Minor Hockey Association, the Haliburton team's first action came against a team from Keswick called Larue's. The Nicholls players made short work of the Keswick team, putting them away very quietly by a score of 5 to 1. Scoring for the local team were Greg Schell and Kevin Harrison.

The pivotal game of the tourney for the Nicholls Novices was against the host team—Sutton Red Wings. This game would prove to be a mini-championship game in itself, as these were two evenly matched teams that went at each other right to the final buzzer. Opening the scoring for the Nicholls team was Greg Schell on a fine setup from Ryan Wood. Later in the first period, Greg Schell widened the lead to two. Assisting on the play was defenceman Matthew Billings.

In the second period Haliburton continued to add to its lead, scoring twice more. Matthew Billings scored the first one, with assists going to Chris Nimigon and Ryan Wood, and second goal was scored by Greg Schell to complete a hat trick. Collecting his second assist of the game was Chris Nimigon.

The Red Wings notched their first goal with six

minutes remaining in the second period, narrowing the Haliburton lead to 4-1. More importantly for the Red Wings was that this goal brought new life into their game as the tempo increased and adrenaline in the players and their fans reached record levels.

Opening the third period, Sutton struck quickly with David Pretty scoring his first of two goals, cutting the gap to two. As the period continued, the Nicholls team ran into penalty problems, allowing a player who had managed to get 'under their skin' to draw them into penalties and subsequently score a powerplay goal, creating a 4-3 game. The Red Wings continued to enjoy powerplay opportunities midway in the final period but the tenacious checking of penalty killers Chris Nimigon and Ryan Wood, and stand up goaltending by Brian Mulholland, managed to keep the Red Wings frustrated. The Nicholls Novices hung on for a hard-earned 4-3 victory.

This game marked the emergence of the Nicholls Novices as a team — a group of players working together committed to winning, picking each other up and making up for mistakes by covering for each other.

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Chickens face all-stars

Although one team has a silly name, there will be some very serious hockey played this Saturday night at the Haliburton arena—and for a very serious cause.

The CHEX Chickens from Barrie—their name belies their expertise—will face off against the Haliburton Oldtimers at 7 p.m.

The Oldtimers might better be called the All-Stars as the line-up includes former National Hockey League players Jack Valquet, Dan Maloney, Joey Johnson, Marv Edwards and Haliburton's Ron Stackhouse and Walt McKechnie.

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Missionary zeal helps tackle Brazil's poverty

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

WHILE CANADIANS WORRY ABOUT Meech Lake and the Goods and Services Tax, Brazilians are coping with 1,000 per cent inflation, staggering poverty and an external debt of \$120-billion.

In other words, says missionary Don Raffin, Canadians have little to worry about.

However, instead of giving the dozen people gathered in the Minden United Church basement on Wednesday night the grim statistics at the start of his two-hour presentation, the Omeme native took them on a scenic tour of this dominant South American country.

From the heights, cities such as Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo, which between them have the population of Canada, are magnificent. Surrounded by the rich green foliage of the mountains, with the sparkling blue waters of the Atlantic Ocean bordering them on the other side, there's little wonder why these cities are popular.

Wealth is evident as the luxury hotels and apartments overshadow the barrios, collections of small, ramshackle homes built on stilts. With no municipal sewage system, the slums smell even worse than they look, although Mr. Raffin did have a slide of two boys playing in the polluted waters.

Natural sanctuaries can be found in the mountains outside the cities, quiet oases of beauty to take one's mind off the terrible living conditions of the vast majority of Brazilians.

Of the 150 million people living in Brazil, 60 million are economically active, Mr. Raffin says. Of those, 12 per cent earn less than half a monthly minimum salary (\$32), 21 per cent earn one minimum salary and 26 per cent earn two minimum salaries. To reach the poverty line, you need eight minimum salaries.

Those salaries pay for increasingly less and less. Mr. Raffin has a note of Brazilian currency for 50,000 cruzados. On it is stamped 50 cruzados and since then, it has been devalued to 0.5 cruzados, or one-sixteenth of a cent. Food prices are 10 to 20 times more expensive than they are here.

There are 570 million hectares of farmland in Brazil, but 400 million of them are owned by the wealthy landowners, who are about 15 per cent of the population. They will not allow farming on 200 million hectares. On land that is farmed, workers can earn the equivalent of \$2 a day picking coffee beans, putting a machete to the sugar cane, or harvesting soya beans.

Most of the money raised by the government cannot be spent on improving conditions for the growing poverty class. In 1988, it paid \$20-billion to pay off some interest payments and capital of its foreign debt. In 1989, it spent \$17-billion on interest and refused to deal with the actual loan.

Little wonder the government is having difficul-

ty dealing with environmental problems. "The government is not happy about the (international) flak," Mr. Raffin says and to counter-act it, the new Minister of the Environment is "one of the best-known people pushing for reform. Most people have been concerned for quite some time," yet if one meal a day becomes people's target, they're not going to be very concerned about whether they have to cut down some rain forest to get it.

There are some options, however.

"A lot of people, and I'd include myself, say they should stop paying their debt because they've paid enough," said Mr. Raffin. "They pay more in interest than they get in aid. I'd ask two questions: 'Why does the First World have so much money to lend?' and 'Why do Third World countries have to borrow?'"

With such a grim reality, various clergy are beginning to add such political messages in their sermons. Liberation theology—"we sometimes call it the theology of hope, an option for the poor"—calls for greater rights for the oppressed. In some church hierarchies, such as Roman Catholic, this is frowned upon and priests are being reprimanded.

"It's still only a certain percentage (of clergy who espouse liberation theology) and unfortunately there's all sorts of accusations—they're communists or something like that," says Mr. Raffin.

Those believing they have to speak out for the poor take their cue from the New Testament, when Jesus says "I've been called to bring liberation to the poor, bring sight to the blind, put clothes on the naked."

"I think it's great," says Mr. Raffin, who adds that because Brazil was ruled by a dictatorship from 1964 to 1984, only now are people feeling comfortable speaking out. "I find it unfortunate that sometimes you can't get too involved. It depends on where it is and who's involved. Local churches are divided as well.

But outcome has been ecumenical outreach, "since none of the churches are able to do anything on their own."

"The powerful church of course is the Roman Catholic Church and the government is often at odds with it," especially when the church is officially against birth control and the population is expected to grow to 175 million by the year 2000.

"The Methodist congregation is very, very small, about 70,000. Despite that, it has had a fair impact" by supplying information documents to the government and by running several schools. (In the first year of school, half will drop out. Of those, by the end of Grade 4, half will drop out. By Grade 8, only 10 per cent are still left and a tiny percentage go on to university.)

"The vast majority of Protestants are Pentecostal," Mr. Raffin adds. "There are 600 different Protestant churches and if you can't find one you feel comfortable in, you can always start your own. It's really a sin (there's so much division between Protestants.)



Brazil's problems can be solved, missionary Don Raffin, left, tells Norm Wallace and John Spencley.

However, one cannot forget the power of spiritualism, which is an ancient Brazilian religion based largely on the spirit world. "Some of the Roman Catholics like to keep their feet in both camps but they prefer that the spiritists be with the Protestants, really."

Whatever church people belong to, the need is great to help them rise above their dreadful circumstances. Many projects are funded by World Outreach and the Mission and Service Fund of the United Church, "and we certainly need the help," says Mr. Raffin.

"If we as Canadian Christians give up on outreach in the rest of the world, we might as well close up shop and hold tea parties."

Rev. Ed Moll of the United Church endorsed that, as he called for contributions. "The work that Don and his wife Ina are doing would not be possible without the M and S Fund." Although there is anger against the United Church at present, and some people are holding back contributions as a result, Rev. Moll said the Raffins are living proof of what the money is truly intended for—helping others in distress.

Quick-thinking passerby douses Halco fire

by MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

Just three and a half years after the Stedman's fire forced Halco Electronics to move, its new home was almost destroyed by fire on Saturday morning.

It is suspected that on Friday night, someone dropped a cigarette butt into the wooden planter which stands next to the Haliburton store, says owner Lon Duncombe. Inside the planter was dry peat moss and the burning cigarette caused it to start smoldering.

Early Saturday morning, Ray Selbie was driving by, noticed smoke coming from the planter and doused it with water. By this time, a hole had been burnt through the wood.

Selbie phoned Duncombe, who arrived at the store at 7:30 a.m.

"The metal siding (on the store) conducted the heat and that started a fire on the fibreboard inside," Duncombe says. He called the fire department, and in five minutes, firemen were at the store, tearing off the siding and putting out the wall fire.

"The damage was only \$100 but it was potentially very serious," says Duncombe. "If it had been 11 o'clock at night, the whole store would have caught on fire."

Monmouth changes severances

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before deeds are endorsed by the Land Division Committee.

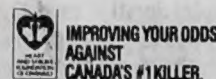
"We want to make sure the severances are acceptable at the township level so we know what's going on and can catch any mistakes," says Reeve Keith Tallman.

As well, any township roads on

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Both changes were made on the recommendation of the township's solicitor.



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POINTS OF VIEW

Development yeas and nays

MORE LETTERS
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READERS...

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sorry that they wasted their time reading my letter. If you, dear reader, agree with me, stand up and be counted. Express your concerns about the way that this country is headed in a letter to your MP.

Yours truly,

Ed Pickard,
Redstone Lake

Rules appreciated

Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge Health Unit about the new policy regarding development served by septic tank sewage systems.

Gentlemen:

We commend the health unit for adopting this new policy which will help ensure that our lakes, rivers and groundwater resources are not polluted by malfunctioning septic tank systems. The policy has a number of positive aspects that will go a long way to reducing problems with septic tank systems and where problems do arise, allow for proper remedial measures.

The requirement for a hydrogeological study for larger developments will assist providing site specific septic tank systems. Large lot sizes, if they result from this new policy, will help to reduce the overall impact of development on the surface and groundwater environments.

At the present time the Ministry of the Environment finds that, on average, 70 per cent of septic systems are not up to par. This suggests that many home and cottage owners will someday have to repair their septic tile bed. This new policy will allow the owner to install a new tile bed elsewhere on his site. It should be noted that on many occasions, it has been reported that attempts to rehabilitate tile bed have failed in a matter of months after the work being completed. A contingency area for a second bed would be of assistance when repairing a malfunctioning one.

This new policy will, in all likelihood, save all taxpayers money by reducing the need to construct costly sewers and to provide for sewage treatment

facilities to correct widespread failures of septic systems.

Once again, we commend the health unit for its leadership in providing a framework for environmentally sound development.

Gene McDonald, Steve McKelvie, G. Bonham,
The Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations.

Show us culture!

To the Editor:

In response to your periscope article of February 28, I would like to commend you on your stand on the French language issue. Your statistics undoubtedly prove that substance abuse costs the province far more than the implementation of bilingual services. In fact, most municipal politicians in the towns and cities who have declared themselves officially unilingual have used cost as their argument against bilingualism.

I don't believe that money is the real reason, but rather an acceptable, easily defensible, non-defamating, rationalization of a situation that is forcing people to take a stand on an issue that exposes sentiments that may not be altogether flattering in the 1990s.

Many people in this province and indeed in the rest of the country feel that they are having the French language (minus the culture, traditions and history) forced upon them in order to placate a minority segment of the population. We have been brow beaten by this issue for years and giving Canadians a 'choice' at this point is most certainly going to elicit a backlash reaction.

What about the Japanese, Italians, Portugese, Chinese, and other numerous and divergent cultures who have chosen Canada as their home? These people come to Canada without the benefit of a law to protect their culture. They establish communities, in most cases with signs in English as well as their native language, that make richer rather than weaken the Canadian cultural mosaic. Along Spadina Avenue in Toronto, the major Canadian banks display signs in both Chinese and Greek. Are they forced to do this? No, it's just good business.

Maybe, it's time the French speaking population showed the rest of Canada that they have a rich and interesting culture as well as an official language.

Phil Beard,
Dundas, Ont.

Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to Anson, Hindon and Minden Council.

Gentlemen:

As a registered real estate salesperson and a "developer", I am outraged that this Council is contemplating a by-law to impede the development of commercial properties. To demand that a business person (yes, property development is a business, and yes, developers are human) engage in the time consuming and expensive process of entering into a site plan agreement that will affect site specific development forever, prior to rezoning, is a short-sighted and regressive measure.

It is my opinion that this bylaw would not even have been given second thought, had not the childish squabble between deputy-reeve Berne Berry and Brad Bradamore been dragged into the sanctity of council chambers. It they are reluctant to "duke it out in the schoolyard" or resolve the matter in a court of law, they should not be allowed to tarnish the reputation of this council and this municipality. For deputy-reeve Berry to use the power of his office to impede any individual for personal reasons, and then force innocent others to abide by the outcome, is a travesty of the democratic process.

In regards to Mr. Bradamore's feelings regarding the PAC members and possible conflicts of interest, it is again my PERSONAL opinion that these gentlemen do have a direct and clear conflict of interest. It is about time we all return to the moral and ethical code of our forefathers and start acting according to the spirit of the law as opposed to the letter of the law.

The next decade is going to see a rapid growth in our community, both in quantity and quality of our lives. We must make certain that this growth is achieved in an orderly and controlled manner, free of petty jealousies and for the betterment of all.

John Stainton,
Minden

Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to the Haliburton County Board of Education.

Dear Board Members:

The Archie Stouffer Home and School Association is delighted that the Board has found money to install windows in the Minden Primary School. Admitting natural light and allowing the children the opportunity to focus on long distances goes a long way to providing a healthier environment. However, we were disappointed that the Board has not chosen to install the "air to air heat exchanger" as recommended by the Ministry of Health, the Ministry of Labour and this Association.

We realize that the Board finds itself in a "limbo" situation regarding the real future of the IGA school. We all hope for the necessary funding for a new accommodation. However, we also realize this may not happen as soon as we would like. If we must use the IGA building longer than the present lease, then we will again insist that an air to air heat exchanger be installed. Until then, however, we request that the Board make a schedule for the teachers to follow, so that the windows and doors be opened first thing in the morning, prior to the students arrival and periodically during the day for the introduction of fresh air.

We would also like to make it very clear that no one on the home and school association has ever suggested that we don't like this facility, nor have we ever suggested portables as an alternative.

We were very disappointed to read Craig Pettit's comments to the newspapers, which we note, failed to mention the fact that most other board members are better aware of our opinions than he is, but unfortunately failed to correct him. Perhaps he could take the time to reread our report to better educate himself to our concerns.

Archie Stouffer Home & School Association

To the Editor:

Congratulations to the Archie Stouffer Grade 8s on a magnificent performance of *Cosmic Pinball*. Kudos to teachers Kathy Rogers, Sybil Roodenberg, Dale McConnell, Liz Bloomfield, Betty Mark and Glen Carter for their creative guidance, artistic sensitivity and skillful assistance in a thoroughly enjoyable production. The music, choreography and story-line were enacted with contagious enthusiasm and the play's timely theme of acknowledging the need to contribute to the well-being of planet Earth was well stated.

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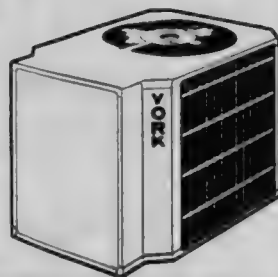
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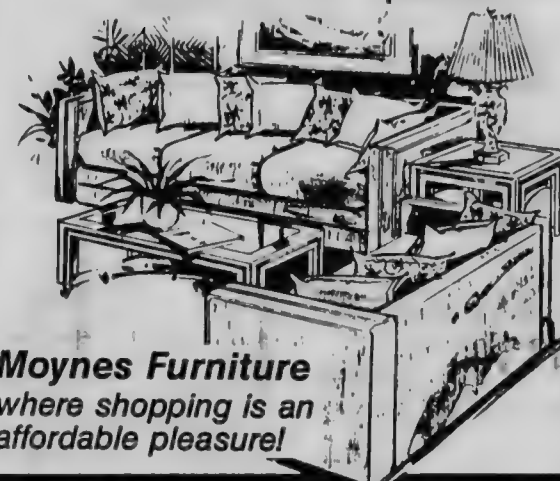
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THIS WEEK

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DOWN OUR ROAD
SHARON LYNCH

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anything, not ever. He was gone. Someone had come up to her and was talking, but she couldn't make out who it was because her eyes were all bleary. She was crying but didn't know it until she realized she couldn't see the other person's face very well.

The next day was the funeral. The doctor had given her something to keep her calm but it made it all like a dream, not real at all. The coffin was lowered into the ground and she stood there watching it, holding the children's hands. She knew she'd wake up any time now and Rick would come into the kitchen, tired and ready for supper. He'd muss the oldest one's hair and gently chuck the baby under the chin after planting a kiss on her cheek. Then when the kids were asleep they'd watch TV and smooch on the couch. She just knew the other was a bad dream. But it didn't seem to want to end. Maybe tomorrow it would. She was so tired.

A year passed, not all of it remembered. People came and went, taking the kids for visits, bringing food, shovelling the drive. She still found herself waiting for Rick to pull up about 5 o'clock and sometimes when she was planning supper, she'd think, "Now what would Rick like tonight?". That's when she'd cry even though she didn't want to because she knew it upset the kids. But she couldn't help it.

Finally she had to start thinking about money. It was hard but it was the best thing for her. It got her mind off Rick and on to the future. She enrolled in a re-training course and her mom looked after the kids while she took it. Schooling never had been one of her strong points and she had married Rick before she finished highschool. So it was hard at first but she stuck with it. It kept her mind occupied and she liked that.

The kids were doing fine. They were young and

they bounced back pretty fast. Her cousin spent a lot of time with them; ice fishing, taking them into town in his pick-up, that kind of thing. The nights were still terrible for her, but she and the old dog went for lots of walks and then she started reading books again.

It was almost two years since that fateful night and she and the kids were walking down Main Street. They were going to have supper in the restaurant, to celebrate her finishing the re-training and a new job starting Monday. It was Friday night and some fools were parked over by the corner, getting ready to party and impress the hell out of their girlfriends.

As she passed by their cars, she could see the bottle being passed around behind their backs. At one time, she would have ignored it, maybe shrugged and thought 'boys will be boys'. No anymore. She stopped dead in her tracks and fixed them with an icy stare. Then raising her hand, she pointed a finger at them and said in a loud voice so more than just her kids would hear, "See those fools, you kids? They're doing right now what killed your daddy. They think they're real smart. But when they get scraped off the highway, they won't think at all anymore."

Then she grabbed the kids hands and walked on to the restaurant with not a backward glance. It had felt good.

More housing funds requested

by MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

Senior levels of government should be spending more money on non-profit housing initiatives, especially the province's "Homes

Now" program, Stanhope council says.

Responding to a letter from the City of Toronto, councillors agreed that cutbacks in funding will make it increasingly difficult for municipalities to provide affordable housing.

"We were competing (for funds) in the district that includes Toronto so our chances were slim then and the odds will just get worse," said Reeve Harry Davis.

"Any reduction in seniors housing funding will have an impact here," added Clerk-administrator Gerald Bain.

The Co-operative Housing Program, which is the last federal direct social housing program "has shrunk to the point where the number of co-op units fell to an 11-year low in 1989," says Toronto. As well, a cap on the Federal/Provincial Non-profit Housing Program "has resulted in a serious reduction in the number of unit allocations in Ontario over the past three years."

Therefore, Stanhope endorsed Toronto's plea that the provincial government "follow up its successful Homes Now initiative [which is funding the new Haliburton seniors apartment building] with an additional commitment of a similar scale in the 1990/91 provincial budget."

Runway access okayed

by MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

A neighbour of the Stanhope airport will be allowed to build an access to the run-way, provided he can afford the \$15,000 pricetag.

Bryan Hughes owns the property south of the airport. At present, he wants access, and also permission to pave a ramp joining his property to the run-way for his own use. In the future, however, he may apply to re-zone the land commercial "to put in a small maintenance facility," he said at last Wednesday's council

meeting.

The Ministry of Transport gave its approval as long as Hughes built the smaller runway to ministry guidelines. When Hughes said this would cost between \$3,000 and \$10,000, Councillor Murray Daniels said that based on the recent construction cost, the figure would be closer to \$15,000.

If he doesn't do it this year, Hughes said he could afford to do it next year. As well, he promised that however he develops his property, "in no way would I compete in any activity the airport was doing."

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- The reconstruction of County Road 8 (Kawagama Lake Road) from Highway 35 to the junction of Kawagama Roads 8 and 12.

Any person who claims that his lands will be prejudicially affected by the proposed works and applies to be heard will be heard by County Council on Wednesday, April 18, 1990 at 1:30 p.m. at the County Building, Newcastle Street, Minden, Ontario. Persons wishing to make representation or inspect construction drawings are advised to contact the County Engineer at the County Offices on weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on or before April 18, 1990.

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THIS WEEK

Playing with words can be fun

THE VIEW FROM HERE
HARVEY CLARKE

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Ever since, people have been discovering new examples of how we approach definitions, depending on whether it is about yourself, someone you are talking to, or someone beyond earshot.

Over the years, I have collected a number of examples, from collections in books, from others who like to play the game, or from real life.

In the latter case, you are more likely to get the first definition and either the second or third, depending on the circumstances. But, if you 'play the game', you usually find you are mentally trying to fill in the missing piece, rather than listening to the rest of the conversation.

On the assumption that some of you would also enjoy playing along, I propose to provide a few examples so that you can recognize the art form when you come across it. The first series are from my collection over the years from a variety of sources:

I am an epicure; You are a gourmand; He has both feet in the trough.

I am sparkling; You are unusually talkative; He is drunk.

I am farseeing; You are a visionary; He's a fuzzy-minded dreamer.

I am beautiful; You have quite good features; She isn't bad-looking if you like that type.

I have reconsidered; You have changed your mind; He has gone back on his word.

I dream; You escape; He needs help.

I am casual; You are informal; He is an untidy slob.

I am in charge of public relations; You exaggerate; He misleads.

I am a camera; You are a copycat; He is a plagiarist.

I am righteously indignant; You are annoyed; He is making a fuss about nothing.

I am a behavioral researcher; You are curious about people; He is a Peeping Tom.

I am nostalgic; You are old-fashioned; He is living in the past.

By now you should have the idea. The following examples, which might not parse quite so well, have been developed by myself, friends, and members of my family, either when a circumstance provided two of the three parts, or when we were just sitting around talking about the game.

I am youthful; You are childlike; He is immature.

I am a little overweight; You are chunky; He is obese.

I am musical; You are tone deaf; He couldn't carry a tune in a basket.

I have a good imagination; You make things up; He is a baldfaced liar.

I take swift action; You are impulsive; He jumps the gun.

I am intelligent; You are smart; He is a know-it-all.

I am patient; you are uninvolved; He doesn't give a damn.

I am religious; You are evangelical; He is a holy roller.

I am dedicated; You are diligent; He is a workaholic.

I am correct; You are smug; He is arrogant.

I evaluate; You criticize; He's a chronic complainer.

I am cautious; You are afraid; He is scared to death.

Some of you, no doubt, have already gotten into the spirit of things, and may already be thinking up new 'conjugations'. If you come up with some goodies, send them to me c/o *The Echo*, and if we get enough, perhaps we can pass them along in a future column.

After comparing municipal wages, museum says its workers deserve increase in pay

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

The Dysart et al Museum Committee is looking for a budget increase of \$9,000.

Larry Podmore presented the committee's budget at Monday's council meeting, and said the municipality has budgeted the museum \$61,000 each year since 1987.

"We know that this is not a good year to be asking for money," said Podmore. "But if we don't get it now, things will be much worse."

"This may look like a \$9,000 in-

crease of last year, but it is a result of having no increase over the last three years," he said.

Councillor Murray Fearrey commented that \$8,000 of the increase requested is budgeted for wages.

Podmore said the committee has looked at wages of municipal employees and other local museums, and found the proposed wage increases to be "right in line to what's being paid in comparable museums."

The curator's wages would be comparable to that of arena staff labourers and the director's wages to that of the sewage treatment plant operator, said Podmore.

"It's a case of catch-up to operate things reasonably."

Council enquired about the museum's admission prices. The policy changes, said the director. While admission is now \$1 for adults, 50 cents for children, and free for school-children, the rates go up in the summer and a seniors' rate is charged.

"I'd love to charge more, but some people object to any sort of admission charge," he said.

Reeve Bill Davis thanked the committee for the presentation, and said council will review the proposal during its budget deliberations.

Lutterworth garage dweller must move

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

The residents of a converted garage in Lutterworth Township will be asked to vacate within 60 days.

Unless John Lynch moves the converted garage next to his parents' home, to act as an addition, the township will be forced to let the courts decide how to handle this contravention of its zoning bylaw.

Lutterworth's zoning bylaw pro-

hibits two residences on one lot. Lynch originally approached council asking for a minor variance to allow a severance on the property which wouldn't meet frontage requirements.

Deciding against this route to circumvent its bylaws, council had considered whether the buildings could be attached by a breezeway. But a letter from its planner states the 40 foot distance between the two buildings makes this suggestion impossible. An underground wall also

proposed is not feasible, the planner's letter reads.

Reeve Carol Puffer said council's hands tied on the matter. Lynch's only option "is to pick it up and move it as an addition to the rear of the house (where the two walls would create an inside wall)," she said.

Bylaw Enforcement Officer Ernie Roylance said all the municipality can do now is send the letter requesting that Lynch vacate, and see what happens.

Bilingualism killing trees: Minden

by SUSAN GROBER
Staff Reporter

The needless killing of trees and a costly waste of paper go hand in hand with enforced bilingualism, says Anson, Hindon and Minden Councillor Mike Maher.

Maher illustrated this point by comparing an old copy of the Ontario Municipal Act with a more recent edition.

The previous book was printed in English only. The recent copy, printed in English and French (Loi Sur Les Municipalites), is three times larger.

Maher said he appreciates the sentiment of a bilingual act, but "will probably have no opportunity to use" half the book.

"They had to kill a lot of trees to make up the paper to print this," he added. Maher suggested it would be more economical to print two separate copies of the act.

"If I wanted it in French, I would have purchased it in French," he told fellow councillors, holding up copies of both books. "It has tripled in size. I'm sure some of it is revisions, but certainly not all."

"I don't think that's an anti-French argument. It's a resource argument."

County council, as well as the councils of Snowdon, Lutterworth and Minden, recently suffered a backlash from some ratepayers angered over English-only resolutions similar to one passed by the city of Sault Ste. Marie. Many feel such a resolution is discriminatory.

"It's disappointing to me," said Reeve Ray Moore. "They're trying to brand us as bigots. I don't think we're bigots."

"Some letters to the editor have been trying to establish as fact that we're white supremacists," Moore continued. "All we're trying to say is we're trying to remain as English."

Break-away sparks 3 Novice goals

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The championship game came against yet another Sutton team, the Maple Leafs. Scoring see-sawed through two periods with the score tied at four at the end of the middle frame.

Midway through the third period with the score deadlocked at four, Greg Schell broke free and went in on the Sutton goal alone only to have the Sutton defender throw his stick and knock the puck away. Greg, being given his first penalty shot opportunity, made no mistake going one for one and notching the winning goal. Final score was Nicholls Novices 7, Sutton Maple Leafs 4.

The Nicholls team was fortunate enough to employ

the services of two standout players from the Jasco Drug Mart Tyke team Chris Nimigon and Ryan Wood as the novice team was somewhat shortstaffed due to the March Break. These two players, though small in stature, played big time hockey and made their presence felt on the ice—with Ryan collecting the MVP of the tournament. Other players contributing to the success of this championship team are Jamie Johnston, Bobby Hebert, Andrew Brown, Kevin Harrison, Daryl Harrison and Greg Schell.

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SECTION 2

Artist John Joy doesn't water down his opinions

by SUSAN GROBER

Staff Reporter

TORONTO ARTIST JOHN JOY took advantage of last week's glorious spring-like weather to prop up his easel and watercolour paints by the side of the highway and captures some of the beauty of the highlands.

And anyone who dared stop to talk soon learned his bark has considerable bite.

Joy and five other artists come up twice each year and stay at the Clansman. "I've been coming here for 35 years, when Highway 35 was still a dirt road," he says, teeth clenched on a pipe.

The 'Group of Six' stays from September to mid-November, and doesn't come back again until February. "Then we leave when the black flies come," says Joy, recently profiled in the *Toronto Star*. "We don't come here in the summer—too many tourists."

A graduate of Central Tech's art course way back in 1945, Joy has wandered the world, travelling from the Arctic and Alaska to Europe, China and the Caribbean.

Upon meeting Joy, some may think the name contradicts his personality. Puffing on the pipe, he expounds on any topic with the abrasive wit of an old curmudgeon and a twinkle in his eye. Many will disagree with his ideas, but he offers them with conviction.

In the past Joy participated in an exhibit at the Rains' End Gallery, "when they've had some of their better shows."

He can make a living out of art because he's good

at it. Most artists, he says, "don't know their ass from a coal scuttle. It makes me into a cynical old man when I think of it."

Joy finds artists who work from photographs "pathetic."

"It makes me mad when they lock themselves up in a room to paint. You're not experiencing anything. It's a great experience just to be out here. How they can do that is ridiculous."

Living at Don Mills and Sheppard in a "very expensive subdivision," Joy also paints in the city. "I'll paint anything," he says. "Have paint-box, will travel. That's what gives me my spiritual rewards."

Joy does demonstrations for art groups, and has taught in Haliburton at Sir Sandford Fleming College. He gives talks on his travels, and encourages artists to work 'on location.'

It irks this artist to see others working out of a studio. "There's no spirit in it. There's something lacking."

Of course, Joy doesn't complete his paintings while breathing in exhaust fumes by the side of the highway. Once he's captured his vision of a scene on paper, he dries the painting, packs it up, takes it home and frames it. "If it has any substance, I work on it. If not, I burn it."

Painting gives Joy "a terrific high. If you get something that works, you glow. It doesn't happen that often."

"I get out there. I'm cold as hell. And I always wonder if I should be doing something else, like music."

Joy says painting also brings a lot of tedium. "You always have to accept criticism, as long as it's



"It makes me mad when artists lock themselves up in a room to paint," says John Joy, who took to the highways last week to practice what he preaches near Loon Lake.

honest. I dislike people who pat you on the back and say you're a good little boy, and don't tell you the truth."

Although Joy makes a good living out of his art, after graduating from college he had to take on a great variety of jobs to struggle for survival. "You name it, I did it. For awhile it wasn't easy, but it

was a great experience for developing character. Nobody bought art in those days."

Any artist worth his grain of salt must practise drawing and sketching as well as painting, says Joy. "Drawing is the essence. It's the key. I can draw."

And that's John Joy.

Costa Rica offers as much as university

Matthew Creelman learns from living

by MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS is quite a lot of money to pay to discover what you want to do in life. At 19, the pressure is there to spend it on a year at university, just as all your friends are, whether they have any clearer an understanding of why they're there or not.

"To find out what I ought to be, I can spend \$6,000 in other ways," says Matthew Creelman, who's come up with a rather unique way to prove his point. Next time you're white water rafting down the Reventazon River in Costa Rica, just ask this budding entrepreneur what he's learning of life.

One can argue that a year of university can never be a waste of time, but Matthew has always been a tactile learner—more is learned by doing than by reading about doing. Challenge him to a quiz about Central America against a first-year geography student, and he'd probably win hands down.

What's the terrain like? He's bicycled up (and up and up) it. What's the national language? He's struggling to conjugate its verbs. When's the rainy season? His gear is still drying out.

Perhaps the most important question: What does it have to offer a 19-year-old teenager from Haliburton? The opportunity to learn about this world—and himself.

Last summer Matthew accepted that he simply wasn't ready for university. "I had applied to universities to be whatever, but when it came down to saying yes or no, I pondered whether I really wanted to go."

"Then Dad (Len) laid it on the line. 'Why are you going to university? If you go, then are you going to be happy?' I didn't see a rush."

All he knew was that he wanted to learn another language and be immersed in another culture. Central America popped into mind—for no apparent reason—but where in Central America? Nicaragua? No, that was too risky. Then he started hearing good things about Costa Rica, a torchbearer of democracy and now tourism in the war-torn strip of land joining North and South Americas.

So last September he went to Costa Rica. Just with a bicycle, four small pannier bags in which he packed a tent and sleeping bag, and a lot of enthusiasm.

A stranger in a strange lane

If Matthew thought exams and essays were hard, he was unprepared for the initial jolts of learning what it's like to be in a strange country where no one understands a word you say, and family seems so, so far away.



"I drew quite a crowd when I was reconstructing my bike at the airport," he says of his first impression of San Jose. The capital city wasn't that difficult to cope with because chances were you could bump into someone who spoke English.

A train trip—nine hours to travel 160 kilometres—brought him to Limon, on the Caribbean coast. It was in the midst of celebrating Columbus Day. The city looked a bit like the Haliburton fairground during the Rotary summer carnival, but on a larger scale. And the black influence on music hasn't reached Haliburton with as much impact either.

But then, a map in hand, he headed out into the countryside. Goodbye English and hello mountains.

"I was in for the shock of my life—the gradient

of the mountains is so steep," he says as he remembers his quick re-assessment of plans to bike across the country. Even his bike rides between Minden and Haliburton weren't enough to prepare him for the strain of the twisting, muscle-numbing mountains.

Matthew's second geography lesson was about rainy season, which in Costa Rica lasts from April to November. "When rainy season goes out, that's when it's the strongest," and that's when he was there. "It rained, no, it poured, from 3:30 in the afternoon to who-knows-when at night."

Compounding the sense of isolation caused by the weather, Matthew felt very lonely in the Spanish-speaking countryside. "I got discouraged quite quickly," he says of how the best laid plans of

"It's just a willingness to try' Matthew Creelman says of what impelled him to leave friends and family, pack his possessions on a bicycle and travel across Costa Rica. Everything was not as he expected, however. Not only did he arrive in the middle of rainy season, but 'I was in for the shock of my life - the gradient of the mountains is so steep'."

energetic youth are often led astray. He and his family don't want to discuss the long-distance phone bills.

"I isolated myself from a lot of things," Matthew says of his other coping methods. "At first I only did what I was comfortable with. I held back."

A night to remember

Determined to not give in, his courage was sometimes sorely tested.

"Squirrels was my big night of hell," Matthew recounts, the warm, dry familiarity of his house in Haliburton is just barely enough to mute the memories. When he arrived at this small city, he and his bags were searched by police officers carrying machine guns. Drugs are not a problem in Costa Rica, but people transporting drugs from Columbia and Panama often travel through the country. Where there are drugs, there are guns—"anyone who's anybody has a gun. Some don't have holsters, they just ram it in their pocket."

"Then it started to rain," Matthew continues with his story. "I asked the policemen if there was a hotel and they said no. But they said I could camp beside the police station. There was no grocery store. I finally bought bananas and bread and pop and that was lunch, supper and the next morning's breakfast."

Matthew was not in a good mood as he headed for Turrialba, which at least had a hotel. (When a modest hotel room costs between \$2 and \$10 a night, it's more a luxury for the soul.) And it was a beautiful place. "It's in a big valley with mountains on both sides. You could see for miles, and it was really green."

"After spending a couple of days there, I noticed all these rafts floating in the river and I started talking to these guys who were standing around them. They were quite interested in what I was doing."

One of the men was Alejo, who was staying with the Salazar family, who had an extra bedroom. Matthew could stay there, improve his Spanish, and work with the rafting company.

Before taking Alejo up on the offer, Matthew went by bus—the bicycle dream had been tarnished in the rain—to the Pacific coast, where he spent four days exploring the sites.

He was happy to be back to the Caribbean side, where the river water rushed down the mountains creating some of the world's best white water rafting.

Last summer, Matthew and his friends were profiled in *Country Life* when they took up kayaking at the Minden White Water Reserve. Without paying disrespect to the Minden run, nothing could match the thrill of the 80-kilometre long, churning rides down the Reventazon.

Alejo's company video-taped tourists travelling down the river by raft and then sold copies of the videos to the tourists. For every group of 10, probably three would buy one. By helping out, Mat-

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PEOPLE

Student turns into entrepreneur

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they could earn \$25 a day. Considering he only had to pay the Salazars \$110 a month for three meals a day, lodging, Spanish lessons and laundry (Matthew's mother Judy, however, was a bit disgruntled to hear that after all the years she spent training her son, his rent also included having his bed made each morning.)

A male-dominated society

"It's really evident it's a male dominated society," Matthew says of some of the lessons, besides Spanish, he learned. "She had to ask her husband's permission every time she left the house, even to go to a friend's funeral. And she was unhappy with the government's pension system. Her husband had been in construction and he got a pension, and she thought because she worked hard at home, she should get one, too.

"Everyone is Roman Catholic. They almost looked down on me when they said I was Anglican. Sunday is just church day; in fact, I thought every day was church day.

"And people stay at home a lot longer, until they're married. When I'm 23 and have a good job, I'll want to prove my independence. Alejo's brother owned a big painting company and he still lived at home.

"The country is democratic and really quite free. It seems Costa Rica did have some problems but they got over that before the world started focusing on Central America. They had a streak of good presidents. All Costa Ricans take pride that their past president won the Nobel Peace Prize. They compare themselves with Switzerland. A lot of people try to immigrate to Costa Rica but they're deported back to Peru or Panama. They want Costa Ricans to benefit" from an economy boosted by exports of oil, coffee, and macadamia nuts. Dole has two huge plants there.

"Everyone has a television and they watch American programs. I didn't know Bill Cosby could speak Spanish."

Matthew was in Costa Rica when America invaded Panama. "They were all upset with the Americans, but some said it had to be done. No one liked Noriega and they didn't want him to pass through Costa Rica (to escape.) They said it was really ugly. But the funniest part was that I thought Noriega

was in the Vatican in Rome."

About Canada, Costa Ricans knew less. In a country which can be traversed in a couple of days, it was hard for them to conceptualize Canada's size. Just as they couldn't understand that while wages were high in Canada, so too were the prices. Television had shown them what snow was like.

"Christmas is meant to be celebrated in snow," Matthew has decided after spending a very quiet and warm Christmas with the Salazars. Everyone went to church on Christmas Eve, the big day of the celebration. "I worked on the 25th," Matthew admits.

Matthew wasn't as keen as the Costa Ricans about the American tourists, some of whom lived up to every nasty, loud-mouthed, bossy reputation in the book. There were the macho men who wanted to be Indiana Jones, and the whining women who didn't want the water to splash on their makeup.

"They thought I was a Costa Rican who spoke English," says Matthew, who dislikes the smug attitude this prompted some tourists to portray. When he tells them he lived in Canada, they ask whether he went to school up there.

By this time, Matthew was nearing the end of his 90-day visa. Besides the hassle of extending it down there, he really wanted to come home to see his friends and family for a while.

Before he left, however, Matthew and Alejo made a deal. "We were filming and business was good. Alejo said 'Raffa (a partner) doesn't want to put out any money. If you buy half a camera, I will give you half of what that camera makes.' That means I could make \$100 a day and pay someone else \$25 a day and pocket \$75."

A capitalist was born. During Matthew's return visit home, he bought a video camera with money he partly earned by working at The Sport Stop and took an editing course in Toronto.

A few weeks ago, the camera was packed in his duffel bag as he prepared to go back to Costa Rica. It's a somewhat older and wiser Matthew who's returning for another stint until June, but some things haven't changed.

"I learned a lot about myself and I could reflect on my life. And now I know why my dad always said 'Keep track of your money!'"

As to career choices, he hasn't yet made up his



At the Salazars' house in Turrialba, Costa Rica, Matthew was treated like a king - all for \$110 a month. "It's really evident it's a male dominated society," he notes. Every time Mrs. Salazar wanted to leave the house, she had to ask her husband's permission. And she made Matthew's bed every morning.

mind. "A lot of my friends will go to university, get married and still have no idea of what they want to do. People are getting married at later ages today. Yes I would like to settle down, but if I do these things now, I'm not affecting anyone but myself. I'll do what I want to do now and when I'm done, then I can go on to something else."

This doesn't mean he'll keep shifting; instead, he'll keep learning until those lessons point him in the direction he really wants to go.

"If you can make your children citizens of the world, I couldn't wish them anything better," says Mrs. Creelman. Of the Creelmans six children, all of them have satisfied their wanderlust. Kristen, a Haliburton Highlands Secondary School student, is

in Holland right now as the Rotary Exchange Student, and just gave a speech in Dutch for the first time. "Isn't it wonderful that there are people all over the world they can relate to. We have the opportunity to have so much more by knowing another language."

"When I was younger," Matthew adds, "I thought it would be nice to be a traveller like my brother. But now I'm doing it and I don't think it's very special?"

Doesn't he think it a bit out of the ordinary for a teenager to take such brave steps in a foreign country?

"I must have something going for me," Matthew admits. "It's just a willingness to try."

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Week of music heralds spring

SENIOR LEAGUE

by: WINNIFRED BARNUM

It looks like a storm would break today. Last week I missed writing the item about Monday's movies. Ruth and Allan Rice showed the movies "Heavy Horse Pull", "Mary of Mile 18", "Mac's Mill" and "Yellow Head Highway" and I also had Allan Rice instead of York Marion. I'm very sorry for this error.

Thursday the ladies of the Senior Curling Club of Minden served a lovely lunch to us and also provided a gentleman to play the guitar and sing for us. We enjoyed the lunch greatly and the music of Reg Munns and thank both the ladies and Reg Munns immensely.

In the evening we played bingo. The person who was scheduled to call was unable to come, so Eldon and Mable Deacon came. We appreciate and thank them for coming.

Verna Jarvis had her daughter and her husband to visit her last week.

Friday afternoon was Happy Hour. The volunteers were Don and Ellen Holden, Mary Guillemain and Melvin Robertson. We thank them for their help. The music was provided by Connie and Mike Biagi. Connie on the guitar, Mike playing the mouth organ, Frank Falkner on the violin and Doris on the piano. Everyone enjoyed themselves and wish to thank the musicians sincerely for coming to play.

Friday evening the Grandfathers Four were in the main lounge to entertain us: Bill Payne guitar and singing, Eldon Deacon guitar and singing, George Smith violin and Charlie Hadley bass violin. It was an enjoyable evening.

Vera Archer had Helen Archer and her daughter to visit her Saturday night. Ruby Lewis had her daughter May and Ray Cooper to visit her, Pearl Lyle had her daughter Jean to see her Sunday.

The Sunday night chapel service was taken by Rev. John Burgess and Alice Jones played the organ. Evelyn Coleman came Monday afternoon for bible study.

Later in the afternoon Mrs. Marjorie Rennick was to have a Hymn Sing but was unable to be here, so we sang old favourites instead.

Monday night there were not any movies.

Pastor Fast took the service Tuesday morning in the chapel. Thank you very much.

Wednesday night Earl Cooper and Kathy Owens were here to entertain us with music and we thank them very much for coming, especially on such a foggy night.

Evening raises funds

W. GUILFORD NEWS

by: ELEANOR COOPER

The Red Cross Program happens on March 24 in the evening at the centre. This is your chance to contribute to Red Cross and hear a brief concert at the same time. Stanhope line dancers and St. Patrick's Day songs will be part of the program. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

Shirley Sisson had her daughter J'nan Yateman and children Derek and

Curtis with her for the school break.

Some people were further away for their holiday time. Nancy Bussey and daughter Lynnanne were in France with the school trip supervised and arranged through the high school under Wayne Cooper's capable management.

Busy as I was with company on the weekend, the George Coopers from North Bay, and the Rev. Dennis Denerville and his wife, Donna Quance, I failed to phone for neighbourhood news—and you failed to phone me. This is no way to run a column. If it doesn't improve, I shall resort again to verse!



Marlene Mestroni was cleaning the dishes just as fast as Verna Sawyer was dirtying them when the Club 35 Ladies Auxiliary hosted a St. Patrick's Day feast at the Stanhope Firefighters Hall on Saturday. Approximately 100 people enjoyed a Leprechaun punch followed by a roast-beef dinner. Proceeds are part of the auxiliary's on-going fundraising for the club's building fund. Other functions include bake sales and silent auctions.

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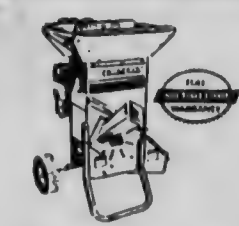
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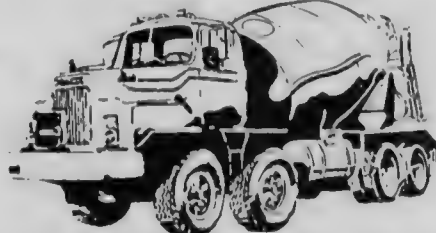
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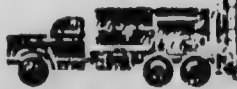
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COMMUNITY NEWS

Team does better as host than as tourney winner

WILBERFORCE NEWS

by: WINNIE SCHOFIELD

Sunday was just fine for the annual Tim Oram Memorial Hockey Tournament. Pleasant weather and bare roads made travelling easy for the six teams that met at the Wilberforce arena for some exciting games. The teams were PeeWee players in the 12 to 13 year old group. Everyone had a very good time and it was noted that the sportsman-like conduct helped to promote a friendly atmosphere.

The first game got underway with Kinmount edging Wilberforce 2-1. Then Apsley and Bancroft took over, with Apsley the winner 5-3. The third game saw Barry's Bay trouncing Peterborough 6-0. It was then Kinmount's turn to trim Apsley 3-0. Peterborough won the fifth game with a 4-3 victory over Wilberforce and sixth game went to Barry's Bay over Bancroft 6-5.

Those Barry's Bay players showed fine form

by winning the Memorial trophy in the A class division. Runners up in the A Class was the team from Kinmount. Peterborough played well to win the B Class division with the team from Apsley as runner up.

The recent World Figure Skating Championships cast a spell over a huge TV audience as they watched in wonder the incredible leaps and graceful dance interpretations taking place on ice. Countless hours of practice were required to produce this fascinating effect. It makes you wonder how such skills were born. Perhaps in some small community like Wilberforce the spark was kindled. Our Monmouth Figure Skating Club will be presenting its annual Carnival, 'The World of Disney', under the direction of Andrea Donaldson, takes place on Saturday, March 24. Two guest speakers from Haliburton

and two from Bancroft will take part in the program. Looks like a fun evening. It is a time when local youngsters, who have been practicing all winter, will have a chance to demonstrate their skating dexterity. Admission for adults will be \$3.50, for students \$2.50 with preschoolers free. Plan to attend and support the Club. Perhaps some day one of these will prove to be a world class winner.

The year 1990 has been declared International Literacy Year. Parents are encouraged to see that their children make use of their library card. Take advantage of this free service. It isn't exactly free because Library maintenance is provided by your township tax dollars and this entitles you to borrow books. Many young people are failing grades because they are unable to read and to interpret instructions. Think of it as a family obligation

to make use of library reading assistance. TV programs do not supersede reading. Let's help our children discover the magic

of knowledge to be found at the library.

Best wishes for an early recovery to Phyllis Gallen from her many friends and

may she soon return home from that Peterborough Hospital.

Coming in April is the Maple Syrup Festival

which always draws a great crowd to its flea market. When attending to your spring cleaning be sure to save all those little articles

no longer useful to you and leave them at the Library for their table at the flea market. All will be appreciated.

Wilberforce Legion offers something for everyone

by EDWIN SCOTT

On March 10, Branch 624 celebrated the birthdays of members whose birth dates occur in that month. A birthday cake was served and John Luxton with his guitar provided entertainment in the afternoon. He certainly knows all the old ballads. In the evening he was joined by Roger Wilcox and Delores Packard with their guitars. A pleasant evening was spent in dancing and socializing.

Bill Brooks, our entertainment chairman, has advised that the April Birthday Party will be at 4:00 p.m. (1600 hours) on

Saturday, April 14. Roger Wilcox has agreed to provide the music.

Pat Gallen, our first vice president, supervises the bingo games at Branch 624 every Monday at 7:30 p.m. He reported that on March 12 he had 50 players. Bill Brooks recently installed three dart boards and dart games are featured each Wednesday night at 7:30. He is going to install new lights to properly illuminate the dart boards.

Euchre on Thursday nights at 7:30 is becoming a popular event. Bill started with two tables and last week had seven.

Honours and Awards Chairman Harold Floden

announced that the presentations of service pins and medal would be made at 1400 hours on Sunday March 25. The Branch wishes to welcome associate member Mary Driscoll who has transferred to 624 and new associate member Doreen Reed, also fraternal affiliates Roger Wilcox, Gus

Sokolowski, Robert Alden and Lloyd Porter.

"Nip" Piper, who lives on the Hadlington Road, is a member of the Bowmanville Legion. Over the years he has been a good friend of our Branch. Last September he cleaned our cenotaph and applied a sealant. When asked for his

bill he refused to render one, stating that he had donated his time and material to honour Paddy Walsh. Paddy was one of the members of Branch 624 who was instrumental in the erection of the cenotaph. He is seriously ill in hospital, where he has been for an extended period of time.

Spring brings floods

KINMOUNT & AREA NEWS

by: MILLIE MOSS

Sympathy to Shirley and Ray Thompson of Kirkfield, all other family and friends of Ray's mother who passed away recently following a long illness.

Bonnie Walker and Kelly Hards both of Don Mills visited at the homes of Mary and John Pyke, Helen Graham and also at our house on Saturday, March 10.

Jim Boyce of Norland was the winner of the Graham of Cobocok called for Mary and John Pyke on Tuesday, March 13 and went to Helen Graham's house in Norland where they enjoyed dinner and visiting.

Happy wedding anniversary wishes go out to Amy and Larry Coker of Utterson on March 24 and to Audrey and Wilf Belanger of Rexdale on March 26. Happy birthday to Tracy Palmer on March 28.

With all the fog and mild weather we've been having recently the snow has really been disappearing but don't be surprised if we get a real whack of winter yet. Lots of severe flooding in some areas too. Donna Stroud who lives near Moore Falls told me she and Bill have been watching some beaver all winter, busy taking down

trees and carting them away and when she mentioned she thought the beaver were taking the trees into a culvert and building their dam which runs under Highway 35 not far from Nobles Restaurant, all she got was the old "ha ha". Since then, however, things have changed when the owner of the property began chopping branches away from said culvert and a great whoosh sent a torrent of water, branches and trees fast flowing from the other end.

Joe and Aggie Brown are enjoying the visit of a daughter Sharon Laing, from Slough, England at their Norland home. Sharon will be visiting for a month getting around to see her sisters and brothers in Cannington, Manilla, Brechin, Fenelon Falls, Lindsay and possibly Oshawa. A highlight will be the St. Patrick's week end when they will all travel to sister Rose's home in Cannington where they will celebrate the birthdays of sister Ina Hughes of Lindsay (March 16), Sharon who celebrates her day for March 13 and a brother Pat who has his birthday on March 17. Happy birthday to all of you and we hope you are enjoying your Canadian visit.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 302, Section 298 and Section 301 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Township Council of the Corporation of the Township of Glamorgan proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, Gooderham, Ontario on Tuesday, the 17th day of April, 1990, a By-law to close, stop-up and convey to the adjacent land owners the following described lands:

Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 34, Concession X, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton, being Parts 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 & 9 on the Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Bishop & Wilson Ltd., dated February 17, 1990 and available for inspection during regular working hours at the Township of Glamorgan offices, Gooderham, Ontario.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Township of Glamorgan shall then and there hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his, her or their lands will be affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at Gooderham, Ontario this 21st day of March, 1990.

Elva V. Bates, A.M.C.T.
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LITTLE GLAMOR LAKE: 3 bdrm. bungalow, with guest cabin on level, landscaped shoreline, southern exposure, \$159,900. Call for a viewing and see both of them.

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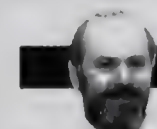
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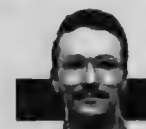
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STARTER HOME! Just listed — cute 1 1/2 storey maintenance free exterior, 2 bdrms., full basement on almost an acre. Close to all amenities. Priced to sell at \$74,900. MLS. Call me about the "Altitude Advantage".

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RESIDENTIAL/INCOME: Inn w/ bed & breakfast, potential for expansion, located on beautiful Kashagawigamog Lake, 175' frontage on lake, 343' on hwy., estate-like setting on over 3 acres, comes with 3 bdrm. cottage, rental warehousing space, 1 bdrm. apartment. Listed at \$585,000. Vendor will entertain ANY offer. MLS.

SIR SAM'S AREA: Chairlift Rd., chalet lot, 175' on year round road, hydro & phone, level & lightly treed with natural clearings for building your chalet. Listed at \$43,900. MLS.

OWNER BOUGHT — MUST SELL: Wenona Lake, 3 bdrm. cottage on year round road, 155' of sandy beach, includes fridge, freezer, stove, microwave oven, all furnishings, great view of lake! Vendor anxious. Just reduced, \$135,000. Make an offer. MLS.

GARY BADGER (Res) 705-447-2253

AFFORDABLE WATERFRONT! Just listed, 3 lovely lakefront lots, each with 200' frontage on South Lake. Well treed, level with sandy shoreline & western exposure. Road to property. Priced right. Also — 2.7 acres, riverfront lot, year round access, reduced to \$38,900. MLS.

BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE! Or looking for a secure investment. I have 2 interesting acreage parcels — 16 acres & 19 acres, both with 600' rd. frontage, hardwoods & creek. Hwy. 503 near Irondale. ALSO 2 really nice building lots — 1.4 acres, level, hardwoods, only \$17,500; 3 acres, \$24,900. All approvals available. ALSO a cottage lot near Salerno Lake with driveway & panoramic view. MLS.

CHECK IT OUT! Unique yet cozy 4 bdrm. home. Fieldstone & pine finishes. Stone fireplace, eat-in kitchen, spiral staircase. Privacy with year round access. Reduced to \$165,000. Vendor says try an offer! MLS.

LINDA BAUMGARTNER (Res) 705-457-3461

WATERFRONT COTTAGE: 3 bdrm. cottage on Salerno Lake. Lake is a 5 on the acidity scale, comes with fridge, stove & some furnishings. To view give me a call. Asking \$129,000. MLS.

GLAMOR LAKE: 3 bdrm. waterfront cottage with 136' frontage on lake. Call now for more information. Asking \$144,900. MLS.

JUST LISTED: Waterfront lot on Crystal Lake, on year round road. Asking \$55,000. MLS.

MARILYN SACCARY (Res) 705-447-3029

WILBERFORCE (705) 448-3336

FOR THE LARGE FAMILY: 9 bedroom, 7 bathroom cottage. 4,000 sq. ft. of living space. 165' shoreline, beautiful Paudash Lake. MW-0168. MLS.

COTTAGE LOT: Contau Lake, year round road, almost 2 acres to build on. MW-0170. MLS.

STARTER HOME: Near town, main road, 3 bdrms., large kitchen, private location. MW-0130. MLS.

HARRY DALE (705) 448-3336 (B) 448-3324 (R)

WATERFRONT TRI-PLEX: Great investment opportunity. Tenants can walk to shopping, school church. MW-0188. MLS.

START OUT RIGHT: In this charming 3 bdrm. home, large lot, cozy L.R. with wood stove, sep. laundry room. At only \$89,900 it won't last long! MW-0177. MLS.

DON'T PASS IT UP! Call us on this beautiful waterfront home. Enjoy summers on a large wrap-around deck overlooking lake, and winters in front of a cozy fireplace. Too many other features to mention here. MW-0181. MLS.

WE HAVE LOTS, INCLUDING: (1) 1/2 acre in Wilberforce, level, cleared, \$19,900. MW-0191. (2) 21+ acres on Hwy. 121, over 1000' frontage, \$25,000. W-0189. (3) Trapper's Trail, close to lakes, 105' x 243', \$22,000. MW-0176. MLS.

NOW THIS IS LIVING! Spacious 4 bdrm. home on a 4 acres. Fireplace, deck, double garage, wheelchair accessible. Roomy country kitchen. All this and more for only \$98,000. MW-0163. MLS.

Call MARK or MICHELE SMITH
(705) 448-3336 (B) 448-2392 (R)

HOME WITH PRIVACY: This is a 3 bdrm. bungalow with full bsmt. Sits on nice treed lot near Sycovers Lake. Nearest neighbour 1/2 mile away. Only \$139,900. MW-0190. MLS.

WATERFRONT ACRES: 8 acres with beaver pond, year round, hydro, phone, \$25,900. W-0175.

32 ACRES: 600' on small lake near town, with paved road, phone & hydro. \$79,900. W-0116.

LARGE BUILDING LOT: Year round road, near 4 good fishing lakes. Start at \$21,900. W-0180.

STARTER HOME: 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 storey on 2.7 acres. Nicely landscaped. Small village. Priced right at \$78,900. W-0165.

BILL SMITH (705) 448-3336 (B) 448-2861 (R)

ATTENTION COUNTRY LOVERS: Unique hobby farm, completely modern home with about 2500 sq. ft. of living space. Walk out basement which includes a rec. room 20' x 14' with fireplace. Excellent barn with water & hydro. Small sugar bush, pasture & arable land. 17.5 acres in all. Pay \$152,900 and enjoy! MW-0167.

TWO BEDROOM RUSTIC HOME: Set in 5 rolling acres and only a short walk to stores & lake. This can be yours for only \$59,000. W-0182.

RURAL BUILDING LOT: High rolling lot of 2.5 acres. Some trees, some cleared land. Faces south and 10 minutes from a busy village. Asking \$26,000. W-0187.

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BIG KENNISIS LAKE: 3 bedroom cottage. New septic, excellent lot, western exposure, year round access. \$159,000.

PELAW LAKE: New Viceroy (Oxford). 3 bdrms., nicely treed level lot, 146 ft. frontage, east exposure, year round access. \$289,000.

PELAW LAKE: 154 ft. level year round lot, excellent location for home or cottage, boat to Big & Little Redstone Lakes. \$120,000.

LITTLE KENNISIS LAKE: 110 ft. frontage, well treed lot, driveway already in. \$114,900.

DAVIS LAKE: South of Minden — 3 bdrm. cottage, southwest exposure, 130 ft. frontage, level lot close to year round road. Vendor will hold mortgage. \$189,000.

EAGLE LAKE: 4 bedroom chalet, 32' x 38', across bay from ski slopes. 165' lakefront, fully insulated, full basement. Asking \$279,000.

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HOMES — NEW LISTINGS



HALIBURTON: 3 bdrm. bungalow with sunken living rm., just 2 miles from Haliburton on Hwy. 118. Nicely decorated with pine floors & pine throughout. Bathroom finished in cedar with whirlpool bathtub. A must see for anyone interested in a new home. (840) \$149,900. Call Vince.

HALL'S LAKE: Waterfront 4 bdrm. home, sun porch, deck off living rm., excellent sand beach, dock at lake. \$270,000. (836) Call Becky.

WEST GUILFORD: Barry Line off Cty. Rd. 7 — 3 bdrm. home, 2 baths, with satellite dish, dishwasher & freezer included. Nice level lot with barn & shed. Close to amenities. \$164,900. (837) Call Ken.

COTTAGES

HALIBURTON LAKE: Older cottage on perimeter wall, enclosed porch, sundeck, furnished, sandy shore, miles of boating. \$129,500. (833) Call Dorothy.

STORMY LAKE: Sloping lot, level at the lake. Cottage at water's edge, sand & rock shoreline. \$94,900. (825) Call Wilfred.

L. REDSTONE LAKE: Redken Dr., 132' lakefrontage and a new 3 bdrm. cottage. Full walkout bsmt., large deck overlooking lake. Lots of windows, cathedral ceiling, sand beach & southern exposure. \$309,000. (821) Call Larry.

Wilfred VanLieshout.....754-2416
Becky Durkin.....489-2277
John Stainton.....286-3718

CAMERON LAKE: 100' frontage on quiet lake, cozy cottage with 2 bdrms., 3 pc. bath, screened-in porch. Good view. \$109,000. (822) Call Ken.

KENNISIS LAKE: 2 bdrm. cottage on a good lot with an excellent view. Level lot with its own boat ramp. \$169,900. (817) Call Ken.

OUTLET BAY: Close to mouth of Drag Lake, just minutes from Haliburton village. Southern exposure, good sandy beach, fully insulated 8 yr. old cottage, includes boathouse & sauna. \$149,900. (807) Call Larry.

LAKEFRONT LOTS

REDSTONE ISLAND: Redstone Lake, nice level wooded lot, mixture of trees, small cabin with log cabin started. Dock system. \$79,500. Call Wilfred. (836)

LONG LAKE: Mink Dr., 100' frontage, year round twp. road, close to Haliburton. Level lot with gentle slope to lake. \$59,500. Call Wilfred. (832)

PORTAGE LAKE: 159' frontage, cleared, nicely wooded lot. Good beach, view, year round access. \$69,500. (831) Call Wilfred.

LAKE KASHAGAWIGAMOG: 5 acres, year round road, 147' frontage, sandy beach. \$169,000. (829) Wilfred.

REDSTONE ISLAND: 197' frontage, well wooded, sloping towards the lake. \$49,500. (819) Call Wilfred.

ACCESS TO MISKWABBI LAKE: Excellent cottage lot, 300' from lake access. \$1,900. (816) Call Vince.

EASY ACCESS TO DRAG LAKE: Thru Outlet Bay. 300' frontage. \$29,900. (815) Call Vince.

ACCESS TO SALERNO LAKE: Good view and excellent location for your starter cottage. \$16,900. (814) Call Vince.

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ONTARIO GOVERNMENT TENDER

NOTICE TO EQUIPMENT OWNERS

The Ministry of Transportation invites all equipment owners and contractors to submit a list of equipment they have available for rent, on forms supplied by the Ministry.

The forms are available from the District Office, 207 Main Street West, Huntsville, Ontario P0A 1K0, telephone (705) 789-2391.

The equipment listed on the forms will be entered into a register, which will be referred to when we require equipment.



ONTARIO GOVERNMENT NOTICE

RESTRICTIONS ON "ANNUAL" AND "PROJECT" OVERLOAD PERMITS

Restrictions on "Annual" and "Project" Overload Permits are in force for the months of March and April, 1990, in Southern Ontario and the months of March, April and May, 1990 for Northern Ontario.





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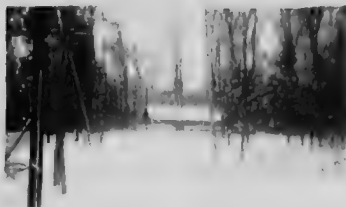
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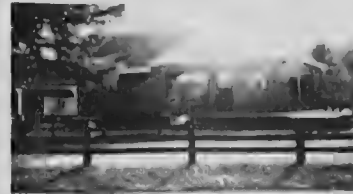
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BRAND NEW
1200 sq. ft., 3 bdrm. bungalow on a nicely treed 2½ acre lot on the Blairhampton Rd. Turn-key home. Buyer can pick flooring. Only \$139,900. Call Blaine Sisson.

**HARMONY ROAD HOME**

Brand new, spacious 3 bdrm. home in town, located on an extra large lot. Many extras. List \$178,900. Call Terry Blair for more details.

**COUNTY ROAD 6 COMMERCIAL**

1500 sq. ft. garage & storage sheds. Home - kitchen, lvg. rm., 3 bdrms., full bsmt., dbl. car garage, plus 60' 2-bdrm. trailer. Ideal location for snowmobile dealership. List \$269,000. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

STORMY LAKE

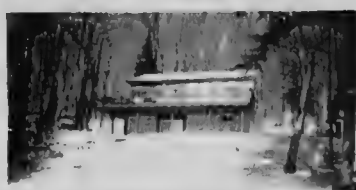
Beautiful 4 bdrm. cottage just minutes from town on a yr. round paved road. Cathedral ceilings, airtight stove & southern exposure. List \$269,000. Call Keith Jackson for more details.

**GOODERHAM HOME**

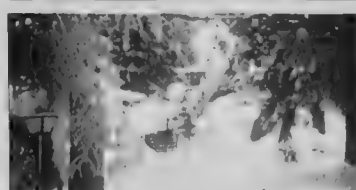
Three bedroom home in town. Walk to main public beach on Pine Lake. List \$89,900. Call Karen Traviss.

**TAMARACK LAKE**

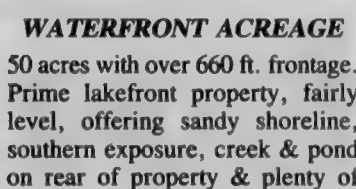
Waterfront home or cottage with full walk-out basement, garage & drilled well. List \$112,000. Call Karen Traviss.

**HALIBURTON LAKE**

Year round cottage. Living rm., dining rm., kitchen, 3 pc. bath, full basement. Sand beach. List \$189,900. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**COTTAGE & BUNKIE**

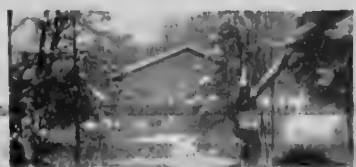
Sits on well manicured lot. Trout creek through property. 12' strip of property fronts on Grass Lake. Access 3 lakes by boat. List \$129,900. Call Blaine Sisson.

**WATERFRONT ACREAGE**

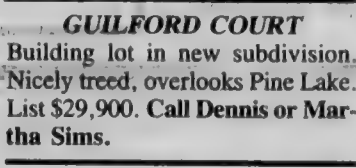
50 acres with over 660 ft. frontage. Prime lakefront property, fairly level, offering sandy shoreline, southern exposure, creek & pond on rear of property & plenty of privacy. List \$189,500. Call Karen Traviss.

**HALIBURTON**

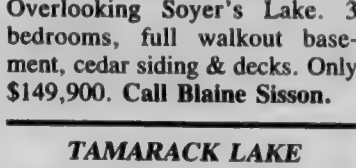
Year round commercial building plus workshop. Must be seen. List \$149,000. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**NEW HOME UNDER CONSTRUCTION**

Overlooking Soyer's Lake. 3 bedrooms, full walkout basement, cedar siding & decks. Only \$149,900. Call Blaine Sisson.

**GUILFORD COURT**

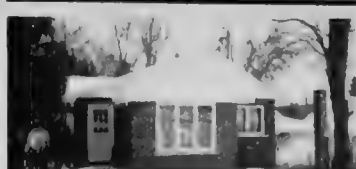
Building lot in new subdivision. Nicely treed, overlooks Pine Lake. List \$29,900. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**TAMARACK LAKE**

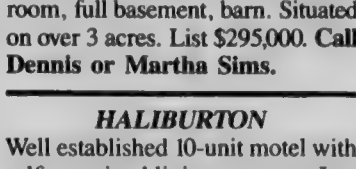
New 3 bdrm. cottage, 4 pc. bath, laundry rm., tastefully finished with pine & drywall, pine kitchen cupboards, 300' lake frontage. List \$139,900. Call Karen Traviss for details.

**PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP**

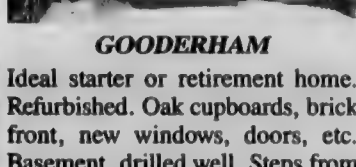
Custom-built 3 bedroom. 2½ baths, jacuzzi, eat-in kitchen, dining room, large living room with fireplace, laundry room, mud room, full basement, barn. Situated on over 3 acres. List \$295,000. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**GOODERHAM**

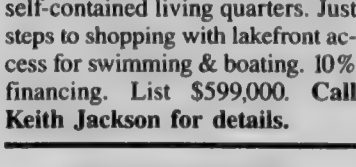
Ideal starter or retirement home. Refurbished. Oak cupboards, brick front, new windows, doors, etc. Basement, drilled well. Steps from town & public beach. Vendor financing available. List \$89,900. Call Karen Traviss.

**HALIBURTON**

Well established 10-unit motel with self-contained living quarters. Just steps to shopping with lakefront access for swimming & boating. 10% financing. List \$599,000. Call Keith Jackson for details.

**STORMY LAKE**

200 acres adjoining Crown Land. List \$95,000. Call Karen Traviss.

**HUNTING CAMP**

Or year round acreage waiting for your dream home. 93 acres with 790' road frontage on year round road surrounded by Crown Land on rear of property. 2 ponds & two-year old building. List \$100,000. Call Karen Traviss.

FEATURE OF THE WEEK**— PRIVACY PLUS —
HALIBURTON LAKE**

Home or cottage on full walkout basement. Wrap-around deck, boathouse, 240' plus frontage, mixture of sand & rock shoreline. 2 separate lots. List \$243,900. Call Blaine Sisson.

**FURNACE FALLS**

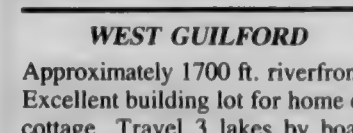
Brand new home - Bacon Road. Kitchen, living rm., 2 bdrms., 4 pc. bath, full bsmt. List \$129,900. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**HALIBURTON RESORT**

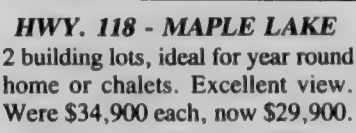
8 cabins + main lodge, + 3 bdrm. house. Year round potential, overlooking lake. List \$329,000. Call Blaine Sisson for more info.

**BUILDING LOTS:
8 - 10 ACRES**

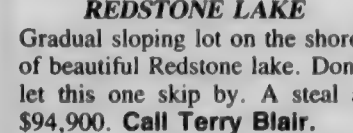
Off Highway 121, Poverty Bay Road. Some trees & partially cleared. Three to choose from. \$39,900 each. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**WEST GUILFORD**

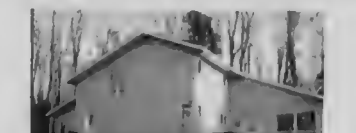
Approximately 1700 ft. riverfront. Excellent building lot for home or cottage. Travel 3 lakes by boat. List \$89,900. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.



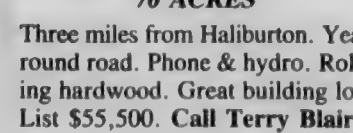
HWY. 118 - MAPLE LAKE
2 building lots, ideal for year round home or chalets. Excellent view. Were \$34,900 each, now \$29,900. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**REDSTONE LAKE**

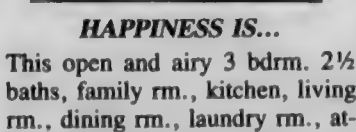
Gradual sloping lot on the shores of beautiful Redstone lake. Don't let this one slip by. A steal at \$94,900. Call Terry Blair.

**HAPPINESS IS...**

This open and airy 3 bdrm. 2½ baths, family rm., kitchen, living rm., dining rm., laundry rm., attached workshop & garage. Very private. List \$269,900. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

**70 ACRES**

Three miles from Haliburton. Year round road. Phone & hydro. Rolling hardwood. Great building lot. List \$55,500. Call Terry Blair.

**LARGE REDSTONE LOT**

This lot has 450 ft. on Big Redstone Lake, approximately 6 acres, great shoreline, beautiful view of the lake. List \$139,900. Call Terry Blair.

**HIGHWAY 118**

Brand new home — kitchen, living rm., 3 bdrms., laundry rm., 4 pc. bath, 100 ft. fronting on Gull River. Excellent view. List \$179,900. Call Dennis or Martha Sims.

GOODERHAM - PINE LAKE

Custom-built 3 bdrm. home. Large L.R., D.R., kitchen area with open concept & cathedral ceilings. 4 pc. & 2 pc. bath, fieldstone F.P., oak kitchen, oak railings, full bsmt., drilled well. Now in completion stage. \$289,000. Call Karen Traviss.

**HARCOURT**

3 bedroom home near town. 4 acres of land, drilled well & septic. Needs some finishing. List \$69,000. Call Karen Traviss.



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HALIBURTON: 2 bdrm. starter home within walking distance of amenities. Only \$79,900. Call **Steve Wrightman**.

MINDEN: 5 bdrm. home zoned commercial in downtown location. Ideal retirement, bed & breakfast. Many other uses. Call **Steve Wrightman**.

MINDEN: 4 bdrm. chalet sits on approx 260 acres +/- landscaped lot. Much more. Call **Joel Gentle** for more information.

MINDEN: Beautiful 5 acre lot with 3 bdrm. home. Large deck, 4 pc. bath, workshop & more. List \$139,900. Call **Joel Gentle**.

WATERFRONT HOME: Quiet setting, 2 bedroom, 4 pc. bath, landscaped lot, year round road, oil heat, filter bed, large deck. Only \$109,900. Call **Joel Gentle**.

MAPLE SANDS ROAD: Gull River acreage supporting a 3 bdrm. fully insulated home with year round access. Sunken living room to walkout deck. \$155,000. Call **Wes Kerr**.

FEATURE OF THE WEEK: Excellent retirement or starter home within walking distance to shopping beach, and other amenities. Completely renovated with new roof and insulation. 3 bdrms., plenty of storage cupboards, full basement. To view and find out about the many more features this house has to offer you, call **Rosalind Clare**. MLS.

FABULOUS 2 STOREY: 4 bdrm. home located on Head Lake, overlooking village of Haliburton. Too many extras to list. For more details call **Mike Vuksic**.

TWO BEDROOM BUNGALOW: Rural setting, cozy interior, deeded access to lake, year round road, school bus route, only 15 min. from town. Priced to sell at \$69,900.

TWO BEDROOM BUNGALOW: Well, hydro, deeded access to lake, clean, well maintained home. \$74,900. Call **Peter French**.

WILBERFORCE HOME: 918 sq. ft., full basement, minutes from town. Turn-key condition. \$96,900. Call **Peter French**.

COTTAGES



LARGE COTTAGE, SMALL PRICE? Over 1500 sq. ft. cottage on full basement. 3 bdrms., 2 bathrms., & walkout from both master bdrm. & living rm. Quiet lake & southern exposure for peace & tranquility in the sun. Yours for \$199,000. Call **Jon Lansdowne** for the details and a personal viewing.

LITTLE GLAMOUR LAKE: This is the cottage you are looking for. For more information and to view call **Rosalind Clare**.

TAMARACK LAKE: Cottage on quiet lake. Mature trees, sand beach, put your own special finishing touches in it. A must to see. Contact **Rosalind Clare**.

MOOSE LAKE: Fully serviced starter cottage on year round road. Very attractively treed lot with natural creek bordering one side. \$89,500. Call **Wes Kerr** for a personal showing.

LITTLE KENNISIS — NEW LISTING: 3 bdrm. cottage, excellent view, year round access, many extras, must be seen. Only \$168,900. Call **Steve Wrightman**.

JORDAN LAKE: 3 bdrm. cottage, sand beach, insulated, new deck, well & dock. Very close to year round road. Must see — will not last at only \$129,900. Call **Steve Wrightman**.

NEGAUNEE LAKE: 2 bdrm. A-frame cottage. Year round road, insulated, new septic. Only \$119,900. Call **Steve Wrightman**.

KUSHOG LAKE: 225 ft. frontage, level lot, western exposure with small 3 bdrm. cottage. Call for a personal showing. \$59,900. Call **Joel Gentle**.

LOG COTTAGE: 2 bedrooms and loft, septic, well, sand beach, southern exposure. \$84,900. Call **Joel Gentle**.

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LOCATION IS IMPORTANT! Excellent location on highway in tourist area and building suited for commercial enterprise. Call today for all the details & have your business operational for the upcoming tourist season. **Jon Lansdowne** has all the information, so don't delay.

LITTLE HALIBURTON: Old house plus 5 acres, level lot with good development potential. Call **Peter French**.

IN TOWN BUSINESS with good return. Excellent family business, so call for details and become your own boss! Call **Steve Wrightman**.

VACANT ACREAGE: Fort Irwin — 3 1/2 acres, PRIME COMMERCIAL LOT with 550 ft. County Rd. 14, mature pine trees, level, sandy soil, ideal location for restaurant/motel business, plans & first year forecast available. Call **Barry Cook**.

YEAR ROUND MARINA in the heart of cottage country on one of Haliburton County's larger lakes. Caters to the boater in the summer & a large snowmobile trade in the winter. For further details contact **Barry Cook**.

COMMERCIAL BUILDING LOTS: Minden — Town water & sewers, C-1 zoning. 1) 149.13' x 175.50'. 2) 75' x 175.5'. Call **Joel Gentle**.

BUILDING LOTS

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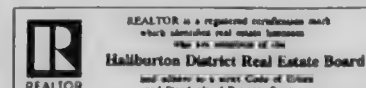
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OBITUARY

Pearl McPhail

Mrs. James Weldon McPhail, Haliburton, Ontario (nee Pearl Harrison), in her 72nd year went to her eternal home on Wednesday, February 28, 1990 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough, Ontario.

After graduation from the Ontario Pentecostal Bible School in 1943 (Class of Conquerors), she held home bible classes in Minden, Blairhampton and Maple Lake. She ministered to children, 1945-46, and ministered as assistant to Della MacLean (Pettigrew) in North Sequin.

Upon the return of her husband from overseas duty in 1946, they settled in Toronto area where Jewel (stillborn), Jim and Carol were born. She was Mom to her nephew, Wally, since he was 2 years old.

They lived in Toronto for 30 years. She led "Sunshine Bible Clubs" at Markham and Agincourt and at times taught Sunday School in Holland Landing and Ajax and surrounding areas. Leaving there she visited with patients at Sheppard Lodge, Agincourt; Extencicare, Haliburton; Hyland Crest, Minden.

After moving back to Haliburton area in 1976 she was caught up in active service at the Full Gospel Lighthouse serving as Sunday School teacher in Bible Class—Primary & Beginners; President of the Ladies Missionary group for several terms; Librarian-Secretarial work; Prayer meeting co-leader 1987; faithful member and prayer warrior; and also gardener of flowerbeds at the church.

From 1986 to the time of

her death she was Secretary of the "Over 60 Club", a club for Christian Seniors associated with the Salvation Army.

Beloved wife of James Weldon McPhail and loving mother of Jim and Carol (Mrs. John McNeil) all of Haliburton, and Wally Harrison of Peterborough. Dear mother-in-law to Gloria, John, Judy; loving Grandma to Leanne, Jennifer, Timothy and Kimberly.

Mourning the loss of a dear sister are Murray Harrison of London, and Clayton Harrison of Haliburton; predeceased by parents Walter and Ella Harrison and baby brother Hamilton.

Pearl was born at Lochlin, only daughter to Walter and Ella Harrison (nee Duncan) on April 5, 1918.

Beautiful floral tributes and memorial donations showed forth the esteem in which she was held in the community serving family and church faithfully until He called her home.

The funeral service was officiated by Rev. Glenn Rosch of London, who brought forth a message with love and compassion. He was assisted by Pastor Nicholas Murray of Allsaw Pentecostal Church, Pastor Randy Warburton of Haven of Rest Chapel, Evangelist Fred McPhail. It was requested that Mrs. Julie Rosch sing one of Pearl's favourite songs, "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart".

Honorary pallbearers were six nephews: Glenn & Kirk Harrison, Doug and Shawn Mark, Howie McPhail, Brian Polak.

Spring Internment at the Ingoldsby Cemetery.

Upright and just in all her ways, Loyal and true through all her days; A deep trust in God that all was right, Her joy to make some other bright; If sick or suffering one she knew, Some act of love she would do; No thought of self, but of the other, We know He said, "Well done, dear Mother!"

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15' CHECKMATE, wind-shield, ski bar, trim & tilt. New back to back fold-down seats, strong running, 110 Merc. 55 mph plus; cover, galvanized trailer, complete package. Open to best reasonable offer, 754-2538.
5-P-21

PACE OF LIFE TOO FAST? Slow down with true stories about life and growing up farming with oxen, mules and horses. Plus much more! For FREE details send self-addressed stamped envelope and this ad to Box 982, Winkler, MB, R6W 4B1.
5A-BC

LOST

LOST: 1 set Mitutoyo electronic calipers, Friday March 9, in or near Haliburton. If found, please contact John Campbell 457-1438 days, 457-4529 evenings.
6-B-21

1 MALE ADULT black lab cross with white chest, and white on every paw. Wearing choke chain collar with dog tag. Also: 1 female pup, black lab cross with white on chest, paws and tip of tail. Wearing tan leather collar. 754-4440.
6-B-21

WANTED

OLD WRIST WATCHES wanted. Eatons Quarter Century Club—mens rectangular wrist watches (25 years service watch) will pay \$3,000 and up for this watch. Also wanted, old Rolex wrist watches especially the following Rolex models—Prince, Oyster Perpetual, Oyster Royale, Chronograph and Cosmograph. Also buying Patek Phillip, Cartier, Movado, Vacheron Constantin, or any other high grade or complicated wrist watches such as Chronographs and Moonphase wrist watches (mens only). Call (416) 365-7240 collect or write: B. Walsh, 211 Queen St. East, Toronto, M5A 1S2.
8-BC

SCRAP CARS WANTED. Also, labour and handyman. Phone 457-3564, ask for Jackie.
8-B-21

WANTED: Tandem Dump Truck, diesel, in good condition. Call Ray 489-3220 or Bruce 754-3865.
8-CA-TF

PETS

PUPS—7 weeks. Black lab and golden retriever. Parents excellent with children. Pups very gentle. 4 males, \$10 each. 489-3083.
10-P-21

FOR SALE

3 BEDROOM home, Minden area, phone 457-2542 after 6pm.
11-B-21

NEW 3 bedroom house for rent \$600/mo; (for sale \$140,000) Half way between Minden and Haliburton, 5 minutes north of Hwy. 121 on year round dirt road. Call 457-3537 between 7 and 8 p.m.
11-P-21

FOR RENT: 2 rooms (bedroom and sitting room); includes use of kitchen, bathroom, washer/dryer and parking. Right in Minden. 286-3995.
11-B-21

MINDEN Main St. new construction. 2 bedroom apartments with private balcony overlooking valley, walking distance to all amenities. References and interview may be required. Please call 489-2163 or 286-2546.
11-B-21

MAIN STREET Minden new commercial plaza, retail/office space, just under 1000 sq. each, 4 units available mid summer. Please call 489-2163 or 286-2546.
11-B-21

OFFICE or retail space to rent on Highland Street in Haliburton, June 1st occupancy, 457-1574.
11-CA-21

BUILDING for rent on commercial site on lakefront, Kennis Lake. Presently a pizzeria and store with one bedroom apartment and storage. Fully winterized. Summer and winter recreation area. \$3,000 per year plus utilities and equipment leases. Business must complement marina on same site. Call Cathy, Wednesday to Friday, 9am to 9pm, 754-2352.
11-CA-21

FIND THE PERFECT Cottage for rent in Ontario/Quebec by ordering a copy of the 1990 cottage rental directory. Choose from over 600 cottages and photos. \$8.95 including PST and postage. Call 1-800-461-7585. (705-726-6015).
11A-BC

CLUB 35—HALL'S LAKE Suitable for medium size gatherings (approx. 65 persons) for Wedding Reception, Anniversaries, Birthdays, Family Gatherings, etc. Kitchen, bar and hall facilities available. Phone 489-2634 or 489-3071.
11-P-21C

STORAGE UNITS—Inside storage units available in Carleton Place for household furniture, boats, vehicles, etc. Call 286-4981 Mon. Fri., 9 am to 5 pm or after 6 pm, call 286-4380 and ask for Doug.
11-CA-TF

FOR RENT

1 ROOM for senior lady with use of kitchen facilities, \$280 month. 286-4513.
11-P-21

TOURIST ACCOMMODATIONS

CANAL CRUISES on scenic Trent Severn Waterway and Rideau Canal aboard Kawartha Voyageur; private stateroom; all meals, free brochure from Captain Marc, Box 1540, Peterborough, K9J 7H7.
11A-BC

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT by family of four: 3 bedroom house in or near the village of Haliburton. Call after 6pm. 457-4571.
12-P-21

WANTED TO RENT: Single professional quiet female, non smoking, no pets, excellent references, would like to rent a private cottage or home in Drag Lake, Haliburton Lake, Eagle Lake areas from late April—late fall. Please write Box 876 Minden, K0M 2K0.
12-P-21

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

RETAILERS ONLY. Video movie and Nintendo leasing. We are well-stocked, fast, efficient. Bi-weekly rotation. You select your inventory. Canada wide 1-800-665-5082. Fax: (204) 231-1150.
14-BC

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14-BC

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14-BC

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14-BC

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BUSINESS FOR SALE: Wilberforce Planing Mill Ltd. Operated successfully for the past 39 years. All enquiries to Doug Armstrong of Dale Austin Realty, Minden. Phone 705-286-4441. Res. Evening: 705-748-9126.
14-P-21

WEATHERDEK is Canada's leading supplier of sheet vinyls used in waterproofing sun decks, roof decks, balconies, pool surrounds, etc. We now have a dealership available in your area. In return for a \$12,000 investment, we supply inventory, tools and all training. If you want to start your first business or add a product to an existing one, give us a collect call at (604) 860-1200. Attention: Mr. D. Chaisson.
14-BC

PRIVATE REAL ESTATE

HOUSE FOR SALE: Located in village of Haliburton. This 3 bedroom home is within walking distance of two schools. Phone after 6pm, 457-1527.
15-P-28

\$85,000 BUYS stocked and equipped service station in fast growing town of Stratton, Ont. Low taxes, new tanks (807) 483-5460 after 8pm.
15-BC

WANTED TO BUY: A cottage in the Haliburton area. Call collect (416) 668-4432 Whitby.
15-B-28

APPROX. 1 acre building lot in town of Haliburton, well treed, road paved, hydro, \$30,000. 1-416-754-7249.
15-B-11

PRIVATE SALE: Haliburton Lake, 3 bedroom cottage, beautiful sand beach, year round access, fully winterized. Call 754-2606 after 4pm.
15-P-11

FOR SALE: Construction business. Owner retired. Land and 12,000 sq. ft. building, includes retail store, office, lumberyard. Ideal family business. Could be used for small manufacturing firm, in progressive community in Alberta. Phone (403) 854-3168, Gerhard or Bruni Kral, Box 262, Hanna, Alta, T0J 1P0.
15-BC

VACATIONS

WE OFFER unforgettable tours to the Amazon and other tropical rainforests. Our office will donate the funds to protect one acre of Amazon rainforest in the name of each passenger taking our tours to South or Central America. For particulars call: Fenlon Travel Ltd., 457-2906.
17-CA-M7C

HELP WANTED

IN TOWN Gift and Souvenir retail store requires full time manager to assume daily control of store operation. Please call collect at (416) 247-6196 from 9-3pm, Monday-Friday to arrange a local interview.
18-B-21

JOBS ARE COMING... to the Haliburton County Employment Centre. It's getting to be that time of year when employers start thinking about hiring more staff, and placing their jobs with us. If you are registered with us and you are searching for employment, then come in and look at our boards. If you are not registered and would like to be, we would be pleased to assist you. We anticipate a variety of jobs for full-time, part-time, casual and summer employment. We are located across from Ralls' End Gallery in Haliburton, 457-1316.
18-CA-28

GROUNDWORKERS wanted, full and part time. Students also. Please send application to Box F, c/o The Haliburton County Echo, Box 360, Haliburton, Ontario K0M 1S0.
18-P-11

FAMILY-RUN motel requires part-time help mid-June to end of October. Call 457-1027.
18-P-28

TRUCK MECHANIC wanted, with diesel experience preferred. For more information call 457-2380, Mon-Fri, 8-5. After 5 p.m. call 754-3474.
18-CA-TF

MATURE AND STUDENT applications being accepted for summer employment at Chateau Woodland, Haliburton. Cook, baker, dining room manager, social director, waiter/waitresses, bartender, housekeepers, office and children's program. Accommodation available. Write: 1 Sulgrave Cres., Willowdale, Ont. M2L 1W5.
18-BC

COOK WANTED for small residential children's camp. Weekdays June, July and August. Competitive wages. Contact Peterson Woods Outdoor Centre: 286-3555.
18-B-21

APPLIED STRESS Technology Inc. is looking for friendly, energetic and reliable people. We are a small but growing high tech company. POSITION: Clean room technician to work with micro electronics. Good eyes and hand co-ordination. We train. Full-time, no smoking. Please phone for an interview, 286-3426.
18-B-21

TRUCK DRIVER NEEDED—Norm's Garbage Disposal. Phone for interview 754-2728. "D" licence required.
18-P-21

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

A SALES DREAM. Multi-million dollar national firm seeks 2 representatives in your area. Candidates selected can earn up to \$2,000 weekly. Individuals applying should be available immediately for placement. Call (416) 756-2111 or (416) 756-7796 for your confidential interview.
18-BC

FULL-TIME/part-time waitresses needed. Apply or call Rip's Sleepy Hollow, West Guilford, 754-2057.
18-CA-28

PERSON FOR CLEAN-ROOM. We train. No smoking. Good eyesight for microscope. Good eye and hand coordination. Position available immediately. Call APPLIED STRESS TECHNOLOGY INC. 286-3426.
18-B-21

FOR THE UPCOMING SEASON. Birch Point Lodge has job openings in our kitchen, housekeeping and waiting departments. Forty-four hour week, no charge for meals, above minimum wage rates. Phone 457-2717.
18-CA-TF

HELP REQUIRED immediately for Kitchen design sales positions, will train. Please send resume to: Canac Kitchen Design Studio, (formerly Dafoe Kitchens), Box 930, Haliburton, Ont. K0M 1S0.
18-CA-TF

REAL ESTATE SALES Opportunity. Call Barrie Gray, HomeLife Kawartha Realty Services Ltd., 457-2424 or 328-2244 for confidential interview.
18-CA-TF

EDITOR REQUIRED. Progressive Community Newspaper, circ. approx. 6,000. Immediate opening for EDITOR. 5 person dept. Experience required. Send resume: Personnel Dept., P.O. Box 220, Goderich, Ont. N7A 4B6.
18-BC

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

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20A-CA-TF

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21-CA-TF

KNOX CONSTRUCTION Custom Building, framing, general carpentry. Licensed carpenter. Phone collect: 1-416-987-1095. Ask for Dean.
21-B-21

T-SHIRT OUTLET Wholesale and retail. We can put your favorite picture, of a grandchild, pet, cottage, on a shirt for you. Hwy. 118, 1/4 m. East of 35, 489-3311.
21-CA-TF

BARRY ROBERTSON Accounting and Tax Service Box 322, Haliburton 457-2966.
21-CA-TF

HIGHLAND APPLIANCES Repairs to major appliances and refrigeration. All work guaranteed. 457-1048.
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HELP WANTED

HAIRSTYLING IN YOUR HOME Men and Women. Monday to Friday and some evenings. **Laurie Burk** Licensed Hairstylist 457-1267 If no answer, please call again.
21-CA-TF

EXCAVATION WORK—LOT CLEARING: Roads and driveways, ponds. Call for a free estimate (416) 853-3673.
21-P-26

LES SCHELL PUMPING Septic and Holding Tanks Radio Dispatched Capacity 2,000 Gallons Well Cleaning with a clean hose Call anytime 457-1152.
21-CA-TF

SERVICES AVAILABLE

HANDY JOE Exterior Painting; Roofing; Clean-Up Yard, Building Lots; and Haul. It Away. 613-339-2588.
22-P-M2

FOR Weddings, Banquets, Anniversaries, Business Meetings call Birch Point Lodge, 457-2717. Sixty-eight years of catering experience.
22-CA-TF

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22-B-21

WALKER'S HEATING AND COOLING SYSTEMS HALIBURTON 457-2375 Woodstoves—new and used. Authorized Lakewood Dealers. Trade-ins Accepted. Installation available.
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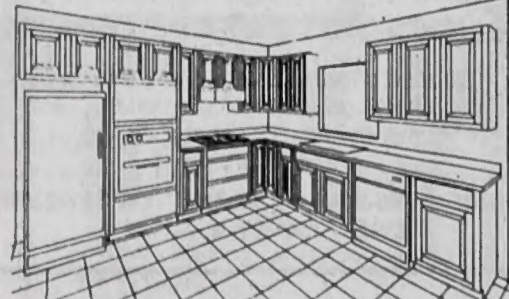
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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF STANHOPE PUBLIC NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Stanhope proposes to enact a by-law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owners those parts of original shore road allowances set out and described as follows:

FIRSTLY: All and Singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Stanhope in the County of Haliburton and being composed of part of the 66' original shore road allowance lying in front of Lots 5 and 6, Concession 11, being more particularly described as Parts 4, 5 and 6 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Haliburton as Plan 19R 4668.

THE PROPOSED BY-LAW will come before the said council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Municipal Office in the Township of Stanhope on the 11th day of April, 1990 at the hour of 11:00 a.m., and at that time, the council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected and who applied to be heard.

DATED: February 22, 1990.

Gerald C. Bain, A.M.C.T.
Clerk-Administrator
R.R. 1, Haliburton, Ontario
K0M 1S0

Leslie M. Frost
Natural Resources Centre
Dorset, Ontario

Maple Syrup Day

Saturday, March 31, 1990

9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Sugar Bush Tours Bake Sale
Taffy Making Facility Tours
St. Nora Lake Shoreline Rehabilitation Class
Environmental Assessment
Inspection of Approved Frost Centre Crown Timber Management Plan
Pancake Brunch
10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Adults \$4.00 Children Under 12 \$2.00
Maple Products Sale Horse Drawn Wagons



Ministry of Natural Resources
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FRIDAY MARCH 23 7 P.M.
BRAND NEW FURNITURE AUCTION at ORVAL McLEAN AUCTION CENTRE—LINDSAY. Name brand chesfield, sectional with hideabed and recliner, 2pc. & 3pc. chesfield sets, love seats, recliners, swivel & glider rockers, bed chesfield, w.c. quality dining room suite, maple & oak table & chairs, new name brand mattress & box spring (factory seconds). Don't miss this chance to buy quality furniture. No reserve. Preview Friday 2pm to 7pm. Orval McLean Auctions, Barry McLean, Auctioneer, 324-2783, Lindsay.

COMING EVENTS

BINGO
ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION
Haliburton Wednesdays 7:45 p.m. \$500 Jackpot 48 numbers called March 21, 1990. If no one wins, 49 numbers called March 28, 1990. No.1 snowball 18 numbers called for approx. \$140 on March 21, 1990. No.2 snowball 17 numbers called for approx. \$100 on March 21, 1990. Early bird, share the wealth and special games. Hundreds of dollars in other prizes.

NOTICES

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Meets Sunday mornings, 10:30 a.m., Orange Hall, Haliburton, across from the United Church. For more information call 447-3094, 457-1815 or 286-2587.

WEST GUILDFORD REC. CENTRE is available for:
Parties
Weddings
Banquets
Anniversaries
Showers
Stages
Full kitchen, bar and hall facilities available at reasonable rates. Call Carol Stamp, 754-2168.

"DAFFODILS"
A support group for people who have been or are now challenged with cancer. Meetings: Last Thursday of each month. Place: St. George's Anglican Church, Haliburton. Time: 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Family members welcome. Contacts: Jean Casey 457-1010, Betty Morrow 457-1789, Vance English 457-1834.

ALL AROUND THE WORLD
members of the Baha'i Faith are spreading the principle of race unity one heart at a time. For information on the next informal discussion please call 754-2493.

THE ALZHEIMER SOCIETY
of Haliburton County invites caregivers, families, friends and those interested in Alzheimer Disease to meet at Extensicare, Park Street at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month. For further information call 457-3034.

FOLK ART—INTERMEDIATE COURSE
Planned projects—a Victorian shelf, a painted sweatshirt and a project of student's choice. Appropriate projects will be selected for any beginners wishing to join. INSTRUCTOR: Lynne Hoppenreys DATES: Thursdays, April 12 - May 10 & May 11, 12, 13
TIME: 7:00pm-10:00pm, Thursday & Friday 9:00am-4:00pm, Saturday & Sunday
LOCATION: Sir Sandford Fleming College, Norman A. Sisco Centre FEE: \$72.00 NOTE: Registration Deadline: April 4, 1990

ONTARIO HEREFORD
Association Prestige Sale, Markham Fairgrounds, April 7/90. Show—10am, Sale—12:30pm. 48 bulls, 41 females. Information contact Ontario Hereford Association, Box 68, Langton, Ontario, NOE 1G0. (519) 875-4803.

GRAVENHURST HIGH SCHOOL REUNION! May 4th/5th. If you ever attended you're invited! Call (705) 887-2283 for more details. Fabulous weekend of events, nostalgia, brunches, dance, entertainment.

NOTICES

TRUCK AIR BRAKES COURSE
The Provincial Government requires any driver licensed in Ontario must have an air brake Z endorsement to operate vehicles equipped with air brakes. After taking the 10 hour course at the college and passing the M.T.C. exam held in class, the endorsement may be obtained at the Ministry office. INSTRUCTOR: Rudi Rehmund DATES: Saturday, May 5 TIME: 8:00am 6:00pm LOCATION: 2nd Floor above Jasco Drugs FEE: \$75.00

FRIENDS and relatives are invited to an 80th birthday party for Ernest Voyce to be held at West Guilford Community Centre on Sunday, March 25, 1-4. Best Wishes Only.

PUBLIC MEETING of the Haliburton Horticultural Society on March 22, 1990 at 8:00 p.m. in the United Church. Dr. Heyes will give a special presentation on lilies. Every welcome—refreshments following.

AEROBICS & RELAXING STRETCH & TONE CLASSES
BEGINNING SOON. Daytime and evening classes available. For more information, or to register contact Lisa at 489-3043 evenings or Ann at 457-3037 days.

PERSONAL

FINANCIALLY SECURE, sincere gentlemen, all ages, desire correspondence, communication, etc., with serious ladies. Age, race no factor. (604) 547-2020, anytime.

HAPPY 30th BIRTHDAY
Maxine. Love, your number three brother.

ATTENTION: TIM SMITH FINALLY!
A licensed mechanic in the family. Way to go Daddy. We're really proud of you. Love, Amber & Dailyn.

PREGNANT AND CONFUSED? A happy and healthy future awaits your baby. Young professional couple hoping to adopt. Call Colleen collect (807)475-4266.

HALIBURTON FAMILY VIOLENCE MENS GROUP
For men who physically abuse their partners. In Haliburton, there is a group counselling program to assist men, at no cost to them, in dealing with behaviours that physically hurt the ones they love. This is a confidential service that does not judge or condemn, but helps you and those around you live a less troubled life. For information, referral and support leave a message at 457-1088.

PERSONAL

LADY looking for a mature lady (abstainer please) to share a 2 bedroom house in Wilberforce. Reply to Box E, c/o Haliburton County Echo, Box 360, Haliburton, Ontario. KOM 1S0

THANK YOU

WILBERFORCE MINOR HOCKEY would like to thank the Agnew Family for the Annual Gary Agnew Memorial Tournament, which was held on February 11, 1990. Also, thanks to Mike and Flo Oram and Curry Motors for the annual Tim Oram Memorial Tournament, which was held on March 18, 1990. Both tournaments were successful and exciting for the players, parents and fans. Thank you.

WE WISH to convey our heartfelt appreciation to relatives, friends and neighbours for their prayers, messages of sympathy and floral tributes received during our recent loss of Mervin, a beloved son, brother, brother-in-law and uncle. A special thanks to the Gordon Monk Funeral Home for their caring and efficient service. Maisie Mintz, brothers Larry & Linda, Andre & Pauline, sister Gloria & Leroy, Cindy and Carey, Rachelle & Melanie, Gregory & Vincent.

A VERY SINCERE thank you to all our family, relatives and friends for their kind and thoughtful expressions of sympathy; for all prayers, beautiful flowers, cards, phone calls and donations; to Rev. Ed Moll, and all who came to be with us in Peterborough at a very painful time, in the loss of our very dear and loving son Larry, brother of Lanny, husband of Catherine, father of Stephanie and Nathaniel, who was killed in a tragic car accident on February 27, 1990. We always will remember: Laverne & Ruth Thomas & Family.

BIRTHS

I WILL GIVE THANKS to thee for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Psalm 139 V14. George & Alison, Jennifer & Katie Logan thank God for the safe arrival of **JOANNA RACHEL** at 12:26 a.m., March 17, weighing 8 lb. 14 oz. Special thanks to Dr. Tina Moga, nurse Chantal and the staff at Haliburton Hospital.

ROBINSON—Sandra & Terry Robinson are pleased to announce the safe arrival of their son **TRAVIS CLAYTON** at the Markham Stouffville Hospital, March 15, 1990 weighing 8 lb. 7 oz. Proud grandparents are Marjorie & Robert Mitchell of Bobcaygeon & Margaret & Cecil Robinson of Haliburton.

ENGAGEMENTS

EARLE AND LOUISE Sisson are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter

ROBIN LOUISE to DONALD WILLIAM CHAPMAN
son of Frank and June Chapman of Peterborough.

WEDDINGS

SANDY STEVENS BRIDAL & COSMETIC CONSULTANT
Open Saturday 10-3pm Located in the Lower Level of the Village Barn. Gowns by Fabulous Formal, Bridesmaids by NuMode, Headpieces by Arthur Harris, Tuxedos by Freeman Formalwear. Invitations, Cosmetics & Accessories. Call and set aside an hour just for you. Contact Sandy at 754-2857 for your appointment.

DEATH NOTICES

AT REST
F. EARL SHIPLEY suddenly at his home in Haliburton on Friday, March 16, 1990 in his 78th year.

Beloved husband of Jan. Dear father of Rene and her husband Gerry of Little Britain, Nancy and her husband David of Guelph, and Kathy of Peterborough. Loving grandfather of Alison and Benjamin. Dear brother of Ivy Mitchell of Toronto and Grace Jarvis of Georgetown. RESTED at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, Minden. Funeral service was held in the chapel, Monday, March 19 at 11:00 a.m. Spring interment Englehart Cemetery. Legion service was held in the Funeral Home 8pm on Sunday. Memorial donations to the Canadian Cancer Society or the Legion Building Fund Branch 129 Haliburton would be appreciated.

AT REST
ERNEST JOHN (JACK) HILLS (Retired Executive Assistant to Chief Coroner of Ontario) Suddenly at his residence, RR.1, Kinmount on Sunday, March 18, 1990 in his 68th year.

Beloved husband of Joyce Lake. Dear father of Ernest of RR.1 Kinmount, Wendy Cahill of Barrie, Beverly Molloy of Zephyr and Barry of Ajax. Loving grandfather of Lindsay and Jessica Cahill, Patrick and Lauren Molloy. Dear son of Mrs. Mary Hills of Cameron. Dear brother of Thomas, Reynold and Don. Rested at the Gordon A. Monk funeral home, Minden. Funeral service from St. James Anglican Church, Kinmount on Wednesday, March 21 at 1:30 p.m. Cremation. R.C. Legion Service was held in the chapel Tuesday at 8pm. Memorial donations to the Canadian Diabetic Association or St. James Anglican Church, Kinmount, would be appreciated.

DEATH NOTICES

AT REST
at Haliburton Hospital on Saturday, March 17, 1990 **FLORENCE JESSIE ROBB** in her 82nd year.

Beloved wife of George W. Robb, dear sister of Arthur G. Walton of Kitchener. RESTED at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, Minden from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Monday. Thence to Ingoldsby United Church on Tuesday, March 20th at 1:30 p.m. Spring interment Ingoldsby Cemetery. Memorial Donations to the Haliburton Hospital Building Fund, Ingoldsby United Church or Ingoldsby Cemetery would be appreciated.

AT REST
KENNETH FRANK (KEN) CONSTABLE at Civic Hospital on Sunday, March 18, 1990 of 2167 Springwood Road, Peterborough, in his 51st year.

Beloved husband of Mary Constable. Dear father of Tony Woods and his wife Diane of North Bay, Lora Woods of Peterborough, Bill Constable of Hamilton, Chris of B.C. and Kenny Constable of Peterborough. Dear grandfather of Sara Woods. Resting at the Robinson Funeral Home, Main Street, Hamilton from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Wednesday. Service in the Chapel on Thursday, March 22nd at 1:00 p.m. Interment Woodland Cemetery, Hamilton. Donations to the Heart & Stroke Foundation would be appreciated by the family. Arrangements Kaye Funeral Home 539 George Street N., Peterborough.

IN MEMORIAM

DELLA & ERN GRIFFIN— Dear Mom, Dad & My Brothers: You are never more than a thought away. Greatly remembered day after day. No longer in our life to share, But in my heart you're always there. Loved and remembered, Lotie & Family.

IN LOVING MEMORY of Allan Cowen who passed away March 27, 1989. Sadly missed but always remembered by his wife Beulah, Son Wayne & Sharon, Grandson Troy & Barb and Granddaughter Lillie, Jodie-Lee.

RIEL "JACKIE"—In loving memory of our son who passed away March 20, 1970. Our hearts still ache in sadness, And secret tears still flow, What it meant to lose you, No one will ever know. When the days are sad and lonely, And everything goes wrong, I seem to hear you whisper, Cheer up and carry on. Always remembered by Mom & Dad, brothers and families.

IN MEMORIAM

IN LOVING MEMORY of my parents, Edna May and John Ross Henderson who passed away in April 1939 and March 18, 1970. God has them in his keeping. We have them in our hearts. Sadly missed by daughter Denise and the family.

VERNA PRIEST—In loving memory of my dear wife who passed away March 21, 1987. A part of my heart she took with her, But her love she left me to keep. So we will never really be parted, The bond between us is too deep. Deeply missed by husband Gordon.

SIMS, BEV—In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather who passed away March 24, 1961. Beautiful memories. Are wonderful things. They last till the longest day, They never wear out, They never get lost, And can never be given away. To some you may be forgotten, To others a part of the past, But to us who loved and lost you, Your memory will always last. Always remembered by Shirley, Sandy and Terry.

CHARLES LINDSAY: In memory of my dear father whom I will love and miss forever, who passed away March 6, 1987. Lips that drew back slowly, To ease a dying sigh, Tears then fell forever, The day my father died. He was always there and giving. Taught that winning wasn't all, Said life was in the trying, That you learned from rise and fall. I'll treasure all his moments, His measure and his mark, And when I have a son of my own, I'll pass on that special spark. Love always, Lisa.

PRIEST, Verna In loving memory of a dear grandmother and friend who passed away March 21, 1987. Things we feel most deeply, Are the hardest things to say, Dearest Gremma, we love you, In a very special way, If we could have one lifetime wish, One dream that could come true, We'd pray to God with all our hearts, For yesterday and you. Beautiful memories are wonderful things, They last till the longest day, They never wear out, They never get lost, And can never be given away. To some you may be forgotten, To others a part of the past, But to us who loved and lost you, Your memory will always last. We'll love you always Nana, love Darlene, Harold and Baby.

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PRIEST, Verna, March 21, 1987, Mother and Grandmother: We are sad within our memory. Lonely are our hearts today; For the one we loved so dearly, Has forever been called away; We think of her in silence, No eye can see us weep, But many silent tears are shed, When others are asleep. Lovingly remembered by Donald, Karen, Harold, Sylvia and Ken.

SIMS—In loving memory of a dear father, BEV SIMS who passed away March 24, 1961. There will always be a heartache, And many a silent tear, But always precious memories, Of the days when you were here; We hold you close within our hearts, And there you will remain, To walk with us throughout our lives, As God will link the broken chain. Sadly missed and always remembered by daughter Helen and son-in-law Ross.

VERNA PRIEST—In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother who passed away March 21, 1987. You had a smile for everyone, You had a heart of gold, You left us sweetest memories, This world could ever hold, To us you were someone special, What more is there to say, Except to wish with all our hearts, That you were here today. Sadly missed and always remembered by daughter Elaine, son-in-law Rendal, and grandchildren Grant, Darlene, Glenda, Valerie.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF **ESLEY CHARLES MATTHEWS.**

All creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the late **ESLEY CHARLES MATTHEWS**, of the Township of Monmouth, in the County of Haliburton, who died on or about the 3rd day of February, 1990, are required to file the particulars of such claims with the undersigned solicitor for the said Estate on or before the 28th day of March, 1990. AND TAKE Notice that after the last date named, the assets of the said Estate will be distributed amongst the persons entitled hereto by the Executor of the Estate, having regard only to the claims of which the solicitor below shall have notice. DATED at Haliburton, Ontario this 23rd day of February, 1990. **RAYMOND G. SELBIE** Barrister, Solicitor P.O. Box 186 Haliburton, Ontario KOM 1S0

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